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SWEEPING FINANCIAL SANCTIONS AGAINST ITALY AT GENEVA

French Press Attack On Britain APPEAL BY LAVAL COMES TOO LATE ITALIAN VOLUNTEERS FROM FRANCE FIRST TRANSPORT LEAVES



General Emilio de Bono, the Italian Commander-in-Chief in East Africa.

**CLUES IN
RAVINE
MYSTERY**
Medical Practitioner
Arrested
BOTH VICTIMS THOUGHT
TO BE WOMEN

London, To-day.
There has been a sensational sequel to the ravine mystery reported on October 1. Following a conference at Lancaster of the Chief Constables of Lancaster and Moffat and other police officials. Dr. Buck Ruxton, a Lancaster medical practitioner, has been arrested and charged with the murder of Mary Jane Rogerson, a 20-year-old nursemaid employed to attend Ruxton's three children.
A prolonged investigation of the remains found at Moffat led to the belief that both victims might be women. This was followed by a report that Ruxton's wife, Isobel Ruxton, aged 35, and Miss Rogerson had been missing since mid-September, when they were reported to have left Lancaster to visit Edinburgh.
The Chief Constable of Lancaster states that a definite point of identification has been established, linking the body of the young female found at Moffat with Miss Rogerson. Inquiries are being continued.

**CONFERENCE AT
DAIREN**
Okamura Appeals
For Unity

Dairen, To-day.
Unity in the discharge of their duties was urged by Major General Okamura, of the Imperial General Staff, at the opening of the conference of staff officers of the Kwantung Army and the Japanese garrison of North China. He said that it was vitally essential that all the Japanese forces should clearly understand and appreciate Tokyo's attitude.—Reuter.

**TRANS-PACIFIC ROUTE
PRACTICABILITY**
San Francisco, To-day.—The Flying Clipper arrived at Guam at 9.10 p.m., Pacific time.
Air officials were of the opinion that this proves the practicability of the trans-Pacific route.—Reuter.

Paris, To-day.
M. Laval's statement to representatives of the semi-official French News Agency, which was published late on Saturday night and in which the Premier entreats the French Press not to let any doubt arise concerning the "loyal Franco-British relations," is generally believed to be attributable to representations made on Saturday by the British Ambassador regarding the anti-British attitude of a number of French newspapers.
A statement came too late, however, to have any effect on the Sunday morning papers' comments on the Geneva proceedings and consequently these comments still represent Britain as the sole driving power behind the Geneva decision.
Le Martin, in an editorial, warns Geneva statesmen against taking the extreme step of blockading the Italian ports, but Le Journal's Geneva correspondent asserts that Britain is evidently determined to demand a blockade if the initial sanctions should, within the next 10 or 15 days, prove insufficient.
The correspondent anticipates that France will oppose a downright blockade as well as any other procedure that might be interrupted as a military measure.

L'Ouvrier's foreign political editor stresses that France's position will become increasingly difficult in the course of the next few weeks.
"What are the English really driving at?" he asks, adding that they undoubtedly are aiming to crush Mussolini in order to replace him by an Italian regime more agreeable to them.
PLANE FOR CONSUL
Addis Ababa: The Emperor intends to send an aeroplane, it is understood, to fetch the Italian Consul and the Commercial Attache in Maggalo, who are still one week's journey from the capital, in order to shorten the period during which the Minister, Count Vinci, must be kept under arrest.
The Minister will then be expelled from the country with the two Italian officials from Maggalo. (Continued on Page 9)

**SOVIET PROTEST
TO JAPAN**
Frontier Incident
On Saturday

Tokyo, To-day.
The Soviet Ambassador to-day called on Mr. Hirota, the Japanese Foreign Minister, and protested against the three recent frontier incidents north of Pogranichnaya, and particularly with regard to the one on Saturday last, when Soviet and Manchukuo patrols of about 50 strong clashed, the latter using machine guns.
The Manchukuo patrol claim that they repulsed the Soviets who are alleged to have illegally crossed the border.—Reuter.

WEATHER REPORT
The anti-cyclone has moved eastward; it now covers Korea and the adjacent seas. A depression is situated over South West Manchuria, and a small depression appears to be forming over the Sulu Sea. To-day's forecast, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning, was; east winds, moderate; fair.

**CARRACIOLA
CHAMPION
OF EUROPE**

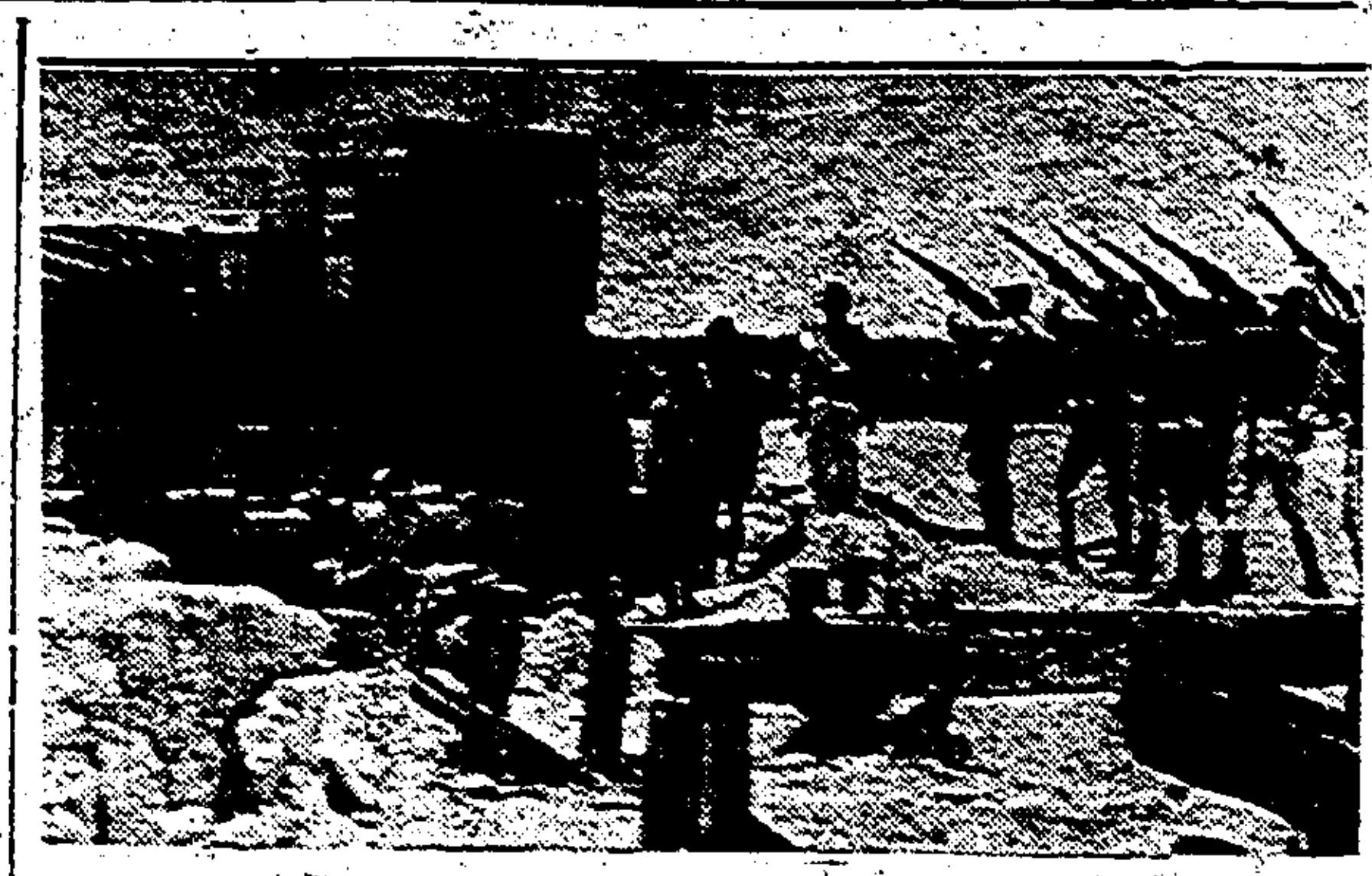
Famous German Racing
Driver Honoured

**OLYMPIC GAMES GRAND PRIX
FIXED FOR JULY 30**

Paris, To-day.
The famous German racing driver, Rudolf Carraciola, who has this year won six of a total of 11 European Grand Prix races for the Mercedes-Benz, was officially accorded the title of champion of Europe, and presented with a gold medal by the "Association of Internationally Recognised Automobile Clubs" at the annual meeting yesterday.
Herr Carraciola tops the list of successful racing drivers with 16 points, being followed by two other members of the Mercedes-Benz team, Fagioli and Von Brancich, with 22 and 31 points respectively. (Continued on Page 4.)



Scenes such as the above were duplicated throughout the lower section of Florida as the tropical hurricane swept the district, destroying hundreds of homes and taking a heavy toll of life last month.



Federal troops fire the last salute and the flag-draped pine box containing the bodies of 46 war veteran victims of last month's Florida hurricane go up in flames at Snake Creek where they died in an FERA camp. Cremation was deemed necessary, despite the request of President Roosevelt that the veterans be given soldiers' burials in national cemeteries.

CHINA NATIONAL GAMES

**H.M.S. PENELOPE TO BE
LAUNCHED TO-MORROW**

Britain's Latest Light-Cruiser

H.M.S. Penelope, Britain's latest light cruiser, will be launched at Belfast to-morrow at 11.25 a.m. G.M.T. by her Grace, the Duchess of Abercorn, wife of the Governor of Northern Ireland.
The Penelope, whose keel plate was laid by the Duke of Gloucester in May 1934, is the first ship to be built at Belfast since the War.

**COMING NAVAL
CONFERENCE**

JAPAN'S REPLY TO
BRITAIN

CONDITIONS OUTLINED

Tokyo, To-day.
It is understood that the Foreign Office and the Admiralty have agreed to the terms of the Japanese reply to the British Government's suggestion of an early naval conference. The draft reply will be submitted to the War Office and then to the Cabinet.
It is reported that the draft states that Japan is prepared to participate in the conference on the understanding that Japan is in the first place entitled to advocate the principles she laid down at the preliminary talks, namely the abolition of the 5-5-3 ratio, and the substitution for this of a maximum tonnage, and, secondly, that Japan can oppose the British proposals for a voluntary declaration of the construction programme which Japan opines involves no qualitative nor quantitative reduction in armaments.—Reuter.

**35,000 SEE
MALAYA SOCCER
TEAM WIN 12-0**

Tsui Wai-Pui Loses
To Kho Sin-kie

HO KA LAU BOWS TO ACE
FROM JAVA

Shanghai, To-day.
Thirty-five thousand people saw the Malayan soccer eleven overwhelm Chekiang Province by 12 goals to nil in the Second Round of the association football competition at the National Athletic Meet. The half-time score was 5 to 0.
C. F. Hsieh and S. H. Yao scored four goals each, while Y. C. Lin, L. Y. Li, K. C. Lui and C. C. Yi, netted one each.—Reuter.
In the Women's Tennis Singles, Miss W. P. Yang, of Kwangtung, beat Miss Y. M. Mao, of Shanghai, by 8-6, 3-6, 6-3, while Miss M. K. Wei, of Shanghai, beat Miss H. W. Chen, of Kwangtung, 6-0, 6-0.
Both Hong Kong's competitors in the Men's Singles were eliminated by Java, Kho Sin-kie, the China National champion, defeating Tsui Wai-pui, 6-4, 6-4, while T. Z. T. Seng, of Java, beat Ho Ka-lau by the same scores. (Continued on Page 7)

MALAYAN SETBACK
Shanghai, later: Malaya suffered another setback in the China National Games when they lost their Men's basketball encounter against Tsingtao by 52 points to 44.
In the Women's tennis Miss M. K. Ouei and Miss T. D. Ouet, of Shanghai, beat Miss K. S. Yuen and Miss W. P. Yang, of Kwangtung, by 6-2, 6-3.—Reuter.

**MR. G. H. DERN IN
YOKOHAMA**

To Have Audience With
Emperor

Tokyo, To-day.
The United States Secretary for War, Mr. George H. Dern, travelling aboard the cruiser Chester, arrived in Yokohama at 8.30 a.m. to-day on a courtesy visit of four days. He was met by the United States Charge D'Affaires, Mr. Neville, and other members of the Embassy.
To-morrow Mr. Dern will have an audience with the Japanese Emperor, after which, among other things, he will interview the Foreign and War Ministers.
Mr. Dern and his wife and son will be the guests of the United States Embassy.—Reuter.

PRIVATE DEALINGS INCLUDED

BOYCOTT OF EXPORTS BY WEDNESDAY

LIMITATION OF SALES TO ITALY

Geneva, To-day.
All financial dealings, not only with the Italian Government but Italian citizens, are practically embargoed by the text of the resolution adopted last evening by the financial sub-committee. The resolution will be discussed by the committee of Eighteen (increased from 17 by the co-option of Mexico) to-day and is expected to be adopted by the full Committee of Fifty almost immediately afterwards.
The terms of the sub-committee's resolution conclude a ban on all loans, bank or other credits to the Italian Government, public authorities, persons or companies and a similar prohibition of issues of shares or capital.
Observers expect that France will to-day accept Mr. Eden's proposal to boycott Italian exports. It is believed that by Wednesday a decision will have been reached firstly to boycott Italian exports; secondly, to limit sales to Italy; thirdly, to assist those States most affected by the interruption of trade.

Jijiga: Southern Ethiopian soldiers are passing here daily en route to the Ogaden front where operations have been confined to skirmishing. But a big Italian attack is expected at any moment and mobilisation in the Harrar neighbourhood has almost been completed. It is reported that the pay of the soldiers has been doubled.—Reuter.

**SHANGHAI CHENG TU
AIR ROUTE**

Douglas Plane For
Express Service

Shanghai, To-day.
In view of the ever-increasing traffic on the Shanghai-Chengtu run, the China National Aviation Co. has decided to put its new 14-passenger Douglas plane on special express flights between the two cities which will be inaugurated on Wednesday of next week.
The trip of about 1,400 miles, which formerly took weeks, will be accomplished in exactly eight hours, although stops will be made at Nanking, Kiukiang, Hankow, Ichang and Chungking. Two flights each way will be made weekly.—Reuter.

**TROTTERING IN
SHANGHAI**
Lack Of Permission
Causes Losses

Shanghai, To-day.
The Shanghai Times learns that three lakhs of dollars have been lost by the Metropolitan Sporting Association and about a lakh by the Far Eastern Recreation Ground, Limited, as a result of their failure to obtain official permission to start trotting at the Chinese Jockey Club course, which is in Chinese territory.—Reuter.

**POLISH CABINET
SWORN IN**

Koscialkowski As
Premier

Warsaw, To-day.
The new Polish Cabinet was sworn in yesterday with M. Zyndlaw Koscialkowski, who was Minister of the Interior in the old Cabinet which resigned because of differences over the new constitution, as the Premier. The chief Ministers will retain the same portfolios, including Colonel Beck, the Minister for Foreign Affairs.—Reuter.

**ESME-BARTON LEAVES
FOR CHINA**

Djibouti, To-day.
Miss Esme Barton, daughter of the British Minister to Abyssinia, has arrived from Addis Ababa and has sailed for China via Aden.—Reuter.

MAIL SCHEDULES

The Hong Kong Postal Guide of 1935 is now on sale at the General Post Office and Central Post Office, Kowloon.

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Imperial Airways via Singapore
Bandong-Amsterdam via Singapore
Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon
Singapore-Australia

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HONG KONG GOVERNMENT RADIO TELEGRAPH SERVICE

It is hereby notified that from the first day of September 1935, the charges for telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 0.68 to equal Gold Franc 1.00.

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INWARD MAILS

FROM EUROPE

Rawalpindi (via Suez) Oct. 17

FROM U.S.A.

Pres. Taft Oct. 14
Pres. McKinley Oct. 15

FROM JAPAN

Bengal Maru Oct. 14
Pres. Taft Oct. 14
Bengal Maru Oct. 14
Katsuragi Maru Oct. 17
Pres. McKinley Oct. 18
Chitral Oct. 18
Tathibius Oct. 18
Montevideo Maru Oct. 22

FROM SHANGHAI

Pres. Taft Oct. 14
Chitral Oct. 18
Tathibius Oct. 18
Pres. McKinley Oct. 18
Tathibius Oct. 18
Marchal Joffree Oct. 22
Antenor Oct. 22
Trier Oct. 22

FROM AUSTRALIA

Kitano Maru Oct. 17

FROM MANILA

Emp. of Russia Oct. 16
Kitano Maru Oct. 17
General Lee Oct. 18

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Kutsang Oct. 15
Tahma Oct. 15
Hakodate Maru Oct. 19
Protesilans Oct. 21

OUTWARD MAILS

FOR EUROPE

Hector (via Siberia) Oct. 14
Emp. of Russia (via Siberia) Oct. 17
Closes Reg. 4.15 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.
General Lee (via San Francisco) Oct. 18
Closes Reg. 4.15 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.
Sphinx (via Siberia) Oct. 19

FOR SHANGHAI

Hector Oct. 14
Emp. of Russia Oct. 17
Rawalpindi Oct. 18
General Lee Oct. 18
Sphinx Oct. 19
Pres. Hoover Oct. 24

FOR STRAITS AND INDIA

Yuensang Oct. 16

WOMEN'S PAGE

THE DAINTY NEW TULLE DRESS

New Line Makes It Good For Dancing

PLEATED FLOUNCES SUGGEST A SHEATH

If the streamline frock is too difficult to wear, there is a compromise in the new tulle dress. By no stretch of the imagination could this be called an economical fashion. Nothing creases, or wrinkles, so quickly as tulle but, in spite of that, it is being worn a great deal for dancing. Its line, however, does not follow that of an open umbrella, as tulle dresses used to do. Instead, the flounces are pleated and carefully pressed so that they suggest a sheath rather than a crinoline.

Black tulle, and white, were popular earlier in the season, but now a great many colours have been introduced. A lovely model worn at a dance recently by a dark girl with a clear complexion and good colouring was Quaker grey, the flounces of the skirt finished with little tilted pleatings which stood out round the slender figure.

Grey And Yellow

At the waist a narrow twist of pale yellow tulle was introduced in the form of a belt, and yellow roses in the same tone were placed on the left shoulder. Grey and yellow is one of the newest colour combinations, and in this filmy tulle it worked out very well. As a general rule the two shades should be chosen with the utmost care. If there is too much of the sulphur, or the flame, tint in the yellow the effect will be quite spoiled. A rather pale buttercup tone is ideal, and the grey is prettier with it if it is shadowy rather than too clear.

FOR JAPAN

Emp. of Russia Oct. 17
Rawalpindi Oct. 18
General Lee Oct. 18
Sphinx Oct. 19
Pres. Hoover Oct. 24

FOR MANILA

Tjibadak Oct. 15
Pres. Taft Oct. 15
Change Oct. 17

FOR U.S.A.

Emp. of Russia Oct. 17
General Lee Oct. 18
Change Oct. 17

FOR AUSTRALIA

Change Oct. 17

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Fashion Starts Hat War

Hats Will Be Either Tall Or Flat

FELT WILL BE ONLY THING COMMON TO ALL



The chill Autumn winds will soon be here, so Warner Brothers' Margaret Lindsay chooses a black wool broadcloth outfit for warmth. The skirt has shallow side vents at the hemline while the short jacket, trimmed lavishly with blue fox, has cut-away lines below the waist.

Get ready for an epic fashion battle this fall between the partisans of the tall hats and of the pancake varieties, according to Jean Panton, the famous designer, who said recently—

Every shape, every style, will be subordinated to these two essential formulas. Either a hat will be definitely high-crowned, exaggeratedly so, with every trimming and detail concurring to give an impression of further height, or else it will be as flat as the proverbial pancake.

The only thing they will have in common is the material—felt, in a soft, essentially pliable variety, will be most widely used. Taupes (or velours) will be more frequently seen than in past seasons, as will many combinations of velvet and taupe, felt and velvet, and newer still, lainage and velvet.

Cut Instead Of Trimmings

The high crowns will offer subtle drapings, and details of cut will replace the present feather and ribbon trimmings. Bows and knotted effects, cut in one with crown or brim, will contribute a note of refinement to the general sobriety of tone.

The new high hat will be elegant "par excellence," and I need hardly point out that this type of hat is almost akin to the art of the sculptor, so that a great deal of its chic will depend on the modiste's subtle touch.

LATEST TREND IN JEWELLERY

The Revival Of The Brouch

The jewellery story for the fall is large rather than long. Clips to be worn singly are three or four times the size of little ones that go in pairs. Bracelets are wider. Hair ornaments are bigger and more pretentious than formerly. Pearl necklaces come in long ropes that can be twisted about the throat several times.

Three fashion trends contribute to costume jewellery designs this season—the Renaissance, the English Jubilee and the Oriental, launched by Schiaparelli and Alix last spring. Renaissance jewels are as colourful as that famous period, with vari-coloured stones in massive designs set in gold, carved in elaborately. This brings about the revival of the brooch.

MUSTARD PLASTERS

You will find that a mustard plaster can remain on for a longer period, and the skin will not blister, if the mustard is mixed with the white of an egg instead of water.

FESTIVE EFFECT

For festive occasions, tinsel effects, moires, elastic taffeta, rich brocades and lacquered laces will continue to be popular.

IDLE KISS SPOILS THE IDYLL

Aftermath Of War Affects Women

A KISS SHOULD MEAN SOMETHING

He was somebody else's husband and she was somebody else's wife. They were feeling good and they were at a party.

He kissed her very hard and very long on the lips, and she kissed him back while people around the room noticed or did not notice, all depending on whether or not they were caught in the tropical heat wave.

"What of it?" you may ask. "A kiss doesn't mean anything!" That is exactly the point. It should. And it cannot when kisses are handed out as promiscuously as ham sandwiches at a Sunday School picnic.

We have much that was gracious, much that was precious, in these years since the world into a mad war, flinging the heritage of splendid living into the mud, tramping on it, so taming that restrictions were of no use and freedom to be base and common had arrived. There has been an increasing number of men and women who throw one another's lives into turmoil, shrug their shoulders, and go find another bedlam in which to play awhile.

Why Scatter Kisses?

No wonder part of the world has a headache, nausea, the blues. The hangover of bad taste that the war brought in is enough to upset anybody's system. It is repulsive, cheap, degrading to find people, adult in age if not in mind, acting like wayward children behind a country barn.

A gesture of affection should be sincere. Only when it is can it be sacred, worthy, beautiful. When the wrong people use the gestures it is repulsive to those who still maintain that good taste, honesty and honour, and breeding are the essential rocks on which a happy married life is built.

Just why do people want to prance around at parties, scattering kisses? Just why do they think it is fun? It is not honest. It is not rich. It is as empty as a hollowed out gourd.

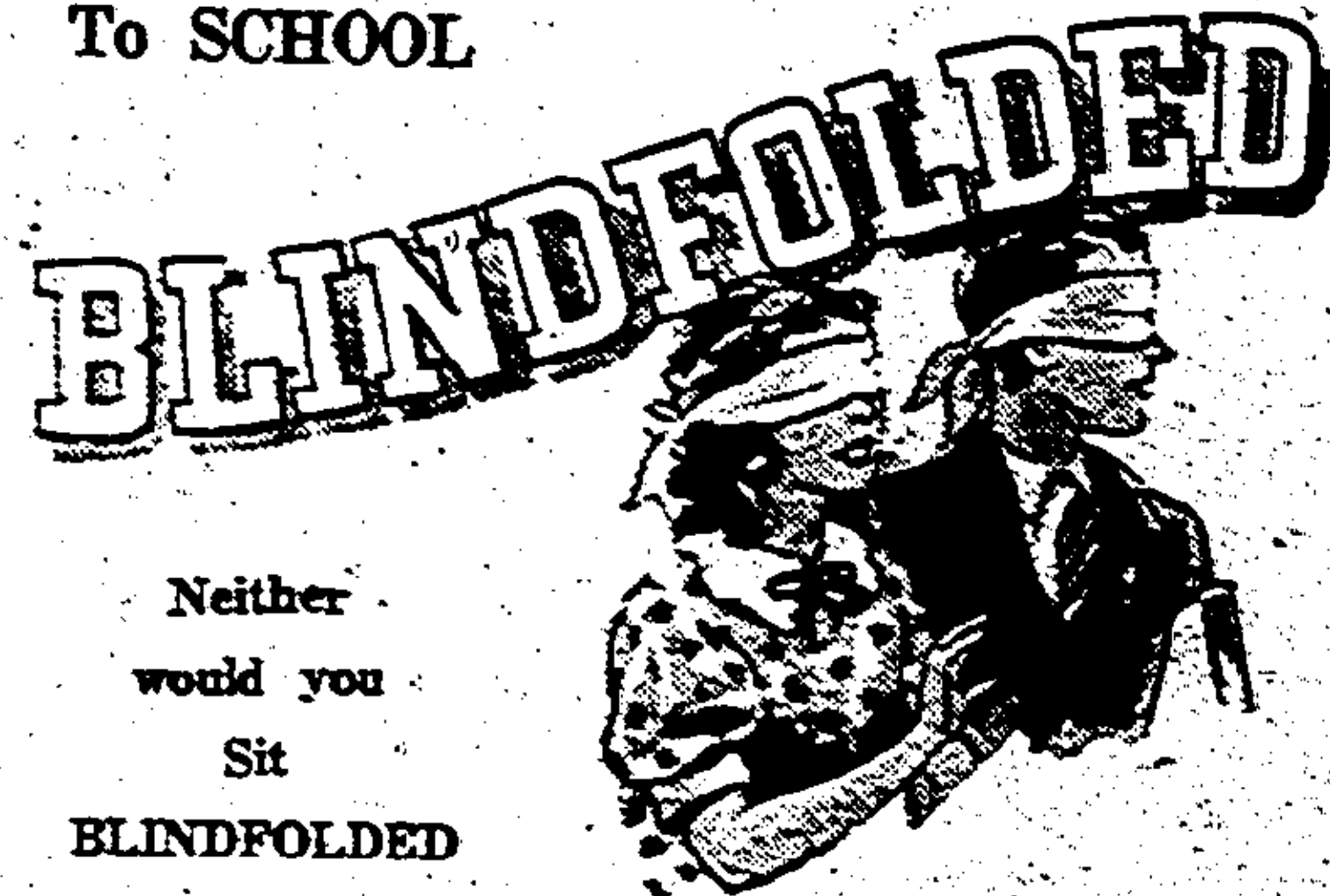
The people who think they are having fun, were the story followed through, would be discovered to be cheap and shoddy cowards. They are incapable of a big and honest emotion. They would not risk their all in a grand gesture to love. Oh, no! But they have such a good time kissing Mary and John and Jack, or Susan and Kate and Ruth, in the public presence. They think they are shiks and vampires. They do not know that they are rather specimens of a race that falls far short of being all it should be.

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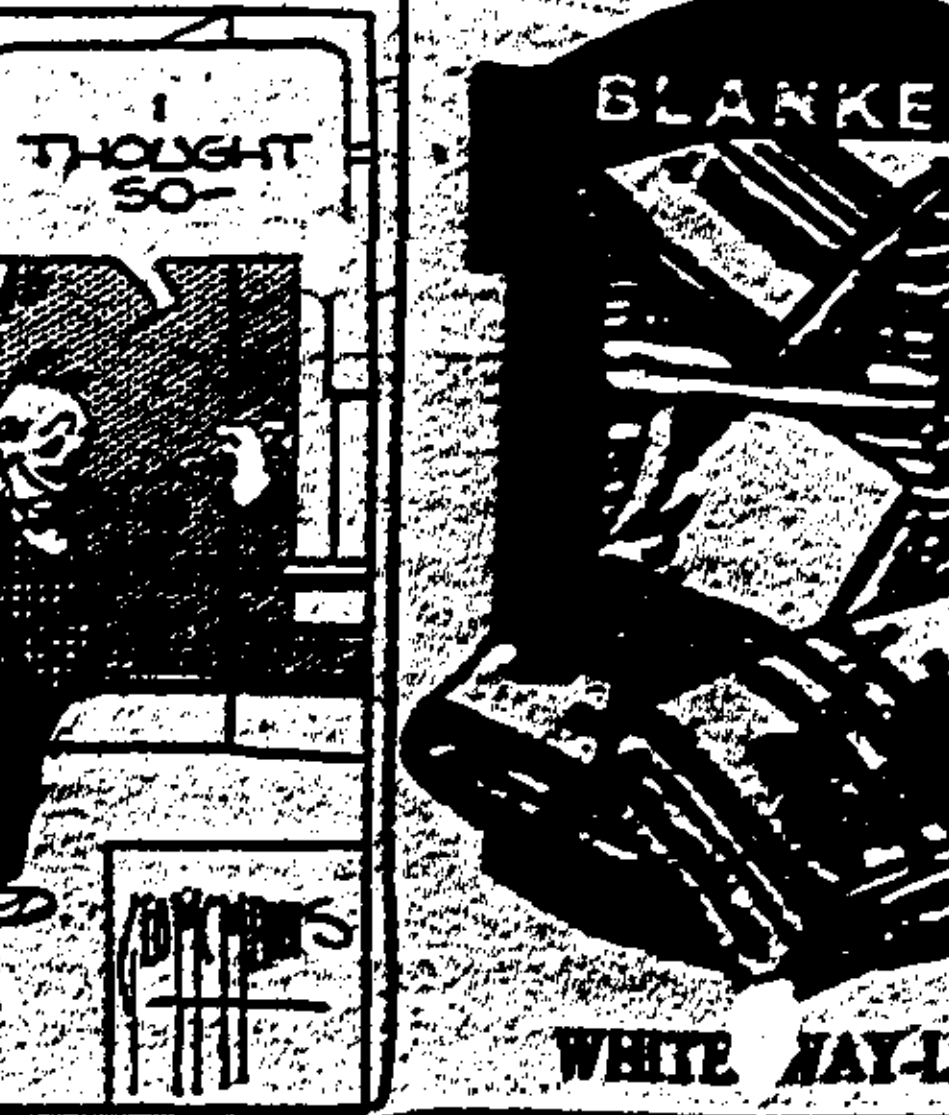
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	Feet
Victoria Peak	1,823
Signal Station	1,774
Mt. Parker	1,734
Mountain Lodge	1,725
The Eyrie	1,725
Peak Hotel	1,505
Taikoo Sanatorium	1,000
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MAINLAND

	Feet
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Amusements

Cinema Notes

"SHE"—KING'S THEATRE

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The many readers of fiction throughout the world who have been intrigued by this thrilling tale of fabulous wonders, as it was written by H. Rider Haggard, have much to store for them in the lavish translation of the masterpiece into a motion picture. None of the fanciful ingenuity of the author has been sacrificed and much has been added to make it one of the most impressive of spectacles.

The Kingdom of Kor, as Haggard described it was a magnificent tropical country. It comes to the screen endowed with all the splendour that the combined talents of the studio technical staffs and the wizardry of the motion picture camera can give. The ruler of Kor, the most amazing woman of fiction, appears in the person of Helen Gahagan.

Featured with her are Randolph Scott, as a young modern-day scientist who searches for and finds a flaming fountain of eternal youth, Nigel Bruce, another scientist who shares Scott's adventures, and Helen Mack, a mortal woman who wages a fierce conflict with the pagan queen for the love of Scott.

"THE CRUSADES"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

Surpassing even his magnificent spectacle of the old silent days, "The Ten Commandments," Cecil B. DeMille's "The Crusades" will certainly be rated among the finest films of this year.

The film relates one of the most dramatic stories of history; of the mustering of the great Kings of Christendom, of their march against the great forces of the Saladin, of the siege and conquest of Acre, and the final peace at Jerusalem.

Henry Wilcoxon is given the most amazing role of his career as Richard the Lion Hearted, and Loretta Young, who is more suited to these kind of roles than any other actress of the screen (remember "Clive of India"), makes a poignantly beautiful Berengaria.

The romance woven into the film is beautifully pieced together. Because his army is starving, Richard is forced to marry Berengaria, and although the marriage is at first distasteful to both sides, they eventually fall in love outside the gates of Acre.

"ORCHIDS TO YOU"—ALHAMBRA THEATRE

The old proverb-makers had the right idea variety is certainly the spice of life, according to John Boles, the Fox Film star, who has the leading role in "Orchids To You." Noted as the possessor of the most colourful singing voice on the screen, as well as for his brilliant talents in both drama and comedy, Boles is perhaps the most versatile player in Hollywood.

During his career, the golden-voiced tenor has enacted everything from desert sheiks to polo players.

In his latest vehicle, "Orchids To You," Boles plays the part of an attorney, whose romance with Jean Muir supplies most of the love interest of the picture. Miss Muir is the owner of an exclusive flower store, hence the film's title.

Charles Butterworth, the famous "dead-man" comic, Ruthelma Stevens, Harvey Stevens and Arthur Lake are among the favourites in the cast of the film, which was produced by Robert T. Kane and directed by William Seiter.

"THE MARK OF THE VAMPIRE"—MAJESTIC THEATRE

Bela Lugosi, who thrilled and chilled millions of film-goers by his amazing performance in "Dracula," succeeds in inspiring the same awe in his latest release, which deals many with the same theme, although, if possible, is even more gruesome.

BRIDGE NOTES

Wrong Guessing

By Ely Culbertson

The artful declarer makes it as hard as possible for the opponents to put up the best defence. One of his stock devices is the false-card. In certain situations it is almost impossible for the defender to tell whether declarer is making his natural play or is dragging a red herring across the tail.

In to-day's hand the crafty South player succeeded in making East guess wrong.

East Dealer

Both sides vulnerable

North:—
S—A J 8 5
H—J 10 8 4
D—J 7 4
C—9 7

West:—
S—9 6 4 3
H—Q 9 7
D—9 5
C—10 4 3 2

East:—
S—10 2
H—6
D—A K 10 8 6 3
C—K Q J 6

South:—
S—K Q 7
H—A K 5 3 2
D—Q 2
C—A 8 5

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).

East	South	West	North
1D	Dbl	Pass	1S
2C	2H(1)	Pass	3H(2)
Pass	4H(3)	Pass	Pass

1—In spite of East's strong vulnerable bidding, South hopes that there may still be a game.

2—A very good bid.

3—A good gamble.

The Play

West opened the nine of diamonds and East won with the King, declarer innocently dropping the Queen. Declarer had realised in the split second it took him to play from the dummy, that a club had to be lost in any event and that if a trump trick were lost it was vital to lose only one diamond. East's strong bidding of the minor suits indicated the heart suit would break badly.

East deliberated after winning the first trick. It seemed fool-hardy to continue with the diamonds. He hoped his partner held two tricks in the major suits. East, therefore, shifted to the King of clubs, to declarer's great satisfaction.

The Ace of club won the second trick, after which the Ace and King of trumps were laid down. Four spade tricks were run off, the losing diamond going on the fourth spade. The hand was then spread and a club and a trump conceded to the opponents, the last club being ruffed in dummy.

Like "Dracula," the picture is frequently interrupted to show a vampire flying in ghostly shadows across the screen. The story is a thrilling one and works up to a most extraordinary climax.

"THEIR BIG MOMENT"—STAR THEATRE

When psychic powers are invoked to solve a murder mystery that has defied practical solution, there are bound to be thrills and chills. And when that inimitable comedienne, ZaSu Pitts enacts the role of an accidental medium who makes good, interest is doubly assured. Such proves to be the case in the current REO-Radio Picture's comedy-thriller, "Their Big Moment." Miss Pitts and Slim Summerville co-star.

It is one of those all-too-rare pictures in which the plot keeps moving at a swift pace from the very outset.

"THE LITTLE COLONEL"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

In "The Little Colonel," Shirley Temple is co-starred with Lionel Barrymore, in a role that will further endear her to the millions.

Her dancing feet, smiling eyes, and honey curls are her ammunition in her campaign to soften the heart of an old colonel, who fought the Civil War, was over, and nursed his prejudices.



Major Ramon Franco, the Spanish flier who was the first to span the North Atlantic and was thrown into prison for Republican sympathies during the last days of Alfonso's reign, is now in Washington as Spain's first air attaché. He is shown with his wife, one of the most beautiful women in Spain, and daughter as they arrive in the United States.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

Are Sin, Disease And Death Real?

MIRACLE OUTSIDE TEMPLE

"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" was the subject of the Lesson Sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was: "The prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him" (James 5:15).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson Sermon was the following from the Bible:

"And a certain man came from his mother's womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms of them that entered into the temple, who, seeing Peter and John about to go into temple, asked an alms. . . . Then Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give to thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk. And he took him by the right hand, and lifted him up; and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength." (Acts 3: 2, 3, 6, 7).

Textbook Passage
The Lesson Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:

"When we remove disease by addressing the disturbed mind, giving no heed to the body, we prove that thought alone creates suffering. Mortal mind rules all that is mortal. We see in the body the images of this mind, even as in optics we see painted on the retina the image which becomes visible to the senses. The action of so-called mortal mind must be destroyed by the divine Mind to bring out the harmony of being. Without divine control there is discord, manifest as sin, sickness, and death." (p. 400).

EATS LIVE FROGS

Health Secret Of Man Of 90

Mr. William Green, of Knoll-street, Market Harborough, Leicestershire, who is ninety, attributes his remarkable health to a diet of live frogs.

"All this talk about living a simple life and going to bed early in order to reach a good old age is rubbish," he told a "Sunday Express" representative.

When he was a boy he was taught by a farm labourer the art of eating frogs.

"I swallow them alive," he said, "and I know that while I continue to eat them I shall not have an ailment."

DRUG OUTPUT IS DWINDLING

Permanent Central Opium Board's Report

NEW LOW RECORD REACHED

If an earthquake were suddenly to overwhelm Geneva, it is certain that some League of Nations Committee would find ways and means of carrying on its work. At the moment, the Italo-Abyssinian dispute is causing as big a sensation as any natural calamity. The hasty reader of newspaper reports might suppose that the whole staff of the League had been called away from their everyday jobs to lend a hand in averting war. As a matter of fact, the League is so constructed that a hundred-and-one useful activities can proceed simultaneously. Thus the Political Section has not been weakened in any degree by the latest League meeting to deal with the traffic in opium and other dangerous drugs.

The Permanent Central Opium Board is the body which has been in session. Moreover, its deliberations have been extremely encouraging. "Dope" is recognised as a social evil in every civilised country. It is an evil which received a big impetus as a result of the Great War. The traffickers, inspired by prospects of profits the magnitude of which looks like a small edition of the War Debt, have shown the heartiest contempt for national frontiers. So the nations have seen the advantage of pooling their resources in fighting the drug traffic. They have made the League of Nations their clearing house for information, and have used it to co-ordinate what would otherwise have been struggling efforts. The result is that this particular branch of international co-operation is definitely succeeding.

Production Discussed

Further evidence has been provided at the meeting of the Opium Board. Drug production is the chief subject which has been under discussion. Altogether, throughout the world, there are some forty or fifty legitimate drug factories. Not so very many years ago, they were producing far larger quantities of drugs than were needed by doctors and scientists. The surplus "escaped" into the illicit traffic. At a League Conference in 1931, it was decided to limit the output of factories to roughly the world's legitimate requirements. A couple of years later, the scheme came into operation.

According to the latest evidence, a new low record was touched last year with regard to the production of morphine, heroin and cocaine. Legitimate manufacture has very nearly come down to the legitimate consumption level. One danger is recognised. Owing to the drying up of the old sources of supply secret factories have been established. Some of these have already been traced and dealt with effectively. The League is aware of the danger and, with the aid of its experts, is taking steps to counteract it.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 353 metres. (845 K.C.S.).

A CINEMA REVIEW BY SILHOUETTE

Z. E. K. PROGRAMME

- 12.30-2.15 p.m.—
European Programme
12.30 p.m.—
Recorded Music.
1 p.m.—
Local Time and Weather Report.
1.15 p.m.—
Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra.
1.30 p.m.—
Reuter Press Bulletins, etc.
2.15 p.m.—
Close Down.
5-8 p.m.—
European Programme.
5-7 p.m.—
A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra.
7-7.30 p.m.—
Light Opera and Musical Comedy.
Vocal Gems—
Music in the Air.
Selection—
Victoria and her Hussar.
Vocal Gems—
Lilac Domino.
Selection—
The Maid of the Mountains.
7.30-7.45 p.m.—
Four Songs by Alfred Picaver (Tenor).
1. Love sends a little gift of roses.
2. Beauty's Eyes (Tooti).
3. Trees (Rashach).
4. The Song of Songs (Moya).
7.45-7.55 p.m.—
"Tunes of Not-So-Long-Ago," 1921-1922 played by the New Mayfair Orchestra.
7.55-8 p.m.—
From the Studio.
"A Cinema Review" by Silhouette.
8 p.m.—
Local Time and Weather Report.
Closing Local Stock Quotations.
8.05-11 p.m.—
A Relay from the Po Hing Theatre (Chinese).
11 p.m.—
Close Down.
8.05-10 p.m.—
European Programme from Z. E. K. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles.
8.05-8.35 p.m.—
Excerpts from Grand Opera.
Vocal Gems—
Rigoletto (Verdi).
Arias—Ave Maria—
"Cavalleria Rusticana" (Mascagni).
Spring had Come—
"Hiawatha" (Coleridge Taylor).
Elsie Suddaby (Soprano).
Selection—
Die Fledermaus (J. Strauss).
Arias—Your tiny hand is frozen—
"La Boheme" (Puccini).
"All hail, thou dwelling pure and lowly"
"Faust" (Gounod).
Beniamino Gigli (Tenor).
8.35-9 p.m.—
Light Orchestral Music.
Mennett No. 1 (Paderwald).
Coer Brise (Gillet).
Hieland Laddie (Garruthers).
In the Shadows (Finck).
Fairy Tale (Keykens).
Till I wake ("Four Indian Love Lyrics") (Woodforde-Finden).
The Temple Bells ("Four Indian Love Lyrics") (Woodforde-Finden).
9-9.15 p.m.—
A Relay of the Davenport News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter).
9.15-9.30 p.m.—
Hawaiian Music.
Hawaiian Stars are Gleaning.
Oh! Rosalita.
Linn Milford and his Hawaiian Players.
Underneath the Blue Hawaiian Skies.
Sweet Hawaiian Dream Girl.
The Hawaiian Marimba Players.
Hawaiian Love.
Nol Lane's Hawaiian Orchestra.
9.30-10 p.m.—
Dance Music.
10 p.m.—
Big Ben: Reuter Press Bulletins.
10.05 p.m.—
Close Down.

SILVER WEDDING POSTPONED

Set Back 25 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Weidner, of Steiman-on-Oder, were preparing to celebrate their silver wedding.

They went through a marriage ceremony in September 1910.

Recently, to satisfy an insurance company, they applied for a copy of their marriage certificate. They were informed that their marriage in 1910 was illegal because the bride had forgotten to ask them to sign the marriage register. They have now been officially married, a wedding breakfast taking the place of a silver jubilee celebration.

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Sporting Page



DURHAM'S INSPIRED GOALKEEPING AGAINST POLICE SENIORS

BRITISH WOMEN'S GOLF SUCCESSES

Win Canberra Foursomes

Canberra, September 14. The British women's touring team won the foursomes championship and the handicap competition for teams in the Canberra Golf Week, which ended to-day. These successes follow Miss Pam Bartlett's victory in the Canberra Federal Territory Championship. Miss Phyllis Wade (Ferndown) and Miss Jessie Anderson (Craigie Hill) won the foursomes championship with 79. Mrs. J. R. Walker (Island Malabide) and Miss Barton (Royal Mid-Surrey) were second with 80.



"DEWAR" TROPHY GOLF

J. McKelvie Returns Good Card

The competition for the "Dewar" Trophy, played over the Kowloon Golf Club course yesterday, resulted in J. McKelvie leading the field with a card of 74-11=65.

Other players who qualified for the match-play stages in this competition were: G. P. Murphy (78-11=67); E. O. Murphy (80-13=67) and J. G. Charlton (84-16=68).

The following is the draw for the match-play rounds, players arranging their own matches: G. P. Murphy v. J. G. Charlton; E. O. Murphy v. J. McKelvie.

ADAMSON CUP GOLF

K. S. Robertson (74-5=69) qualified for the Adamson Cup at Happy Valley during last week. Other scorers were: T. H. McBride (86-16=70); A. Jackson (95-24=71) and R. Wallace (18-9=71). There were 15 entries.

POLICE TEAM FOR MAMAK CLASH

The following will represent the Police Hockey Club in their Mamak Hockey Tournament match against the Royal Corps of Signals on the Police Training School ground to-morrow starting at 4.45 p.m.: — Jessop; Blackburn and Hayward; Tate, Gough and Dowman; C. Pile, Moss, Wilson, Wass and Pennell. Reserves: — Hutchinson and Billingham.

CARRACIOLA CHAMPION OF EUROPE

(Continued from Page 1) The next on the list are Dryfus, of the Alfa-Romeo team, with 35 points. Hans Stuck, of the German Auto-Union team, and Nuvolari, of the Alfa-Romeo team, with 37 points each, and Vardi, of the Auto-Union, and Chiron, of the Alfa-Romeo, with 40 points each.

The meeting fixed the dates for next year's international races in Europe. The annual race on Berlin's Avica race-course will be run as the "Grand Prix of the Eleventh Olympic Games" on July 30, just before the opening of the Olympic Games in Berlin. — Trans-Ocean Service.

NEW SKI "LIFT" AT ST. MORITZ

A new ski "lift" to pull skiers up the slopes behind Savretta is being constructed for the St. Moritz winter sports season. A pool of wooden posts, said in an interview yesterday, "I should play as a professional for both Surrey and Liverpool if anything happened for the worse in South Africa."

SHANGHAI BOWLERS' THIRD WIN

THEIR BEST MATCH IN THE COLONY!

K.B.G.C.-K.D.R.C. RINK BEATEN

(By "Skip")

THE Shanghai Interport bowls team were again in good form yesterday afternoon when they defeated a local rink consisting of two members picked from the Kowloon B.G.C. and the Kowloon Docks by 19 shots to 13, at Hunghom. The match was closely fought throughout, the local players holding the visitors very well until they fell away towards the end and conceded six shots.

The general opinion on the green was that the match ranked with the best the visitors have figured in, including both Interports. Greater experience and a sounder knowledge of green conditions—it being particularly fast yesterday—were the factors that contributed in the greatest degree to Shanghai's success.

Although all the players were very consistent throughout, V. Hast (Kowloon Docks), who played lead for the local rink, was a shade above the rest. His bowls were always well greened and he kept a surprisingly good length.

G. Cooper (Kowloon Docks) was also prominent on several occasions, particularly at the second head, when he came in through a difficult port to carry the jack back for a count of two. He was not dominating enough, however, and lacked the vital force that inspired his opposite number, C. Richards, who has not yet played a creditable game during the present trip.

Henderson's Good Game

M. J. Henderson, who was called in to replace R. Duncan as one of the Bowling Green's representatives, played a sound game at No. 2, but his Club-mate, J. Budding, at No. 3, was a little more consistent.

Lopes again proved himself an excellent lead, but Glover, who played No. 2 for Shanghai, did not appear to be too comfortable in his position and certainly did not reproduce the form he showed last Saturday. Munro was also conspicuous on many occasions.

Scores:

SHANGHAI	LOCAL RINK
J. Lopes	V. Hast
C. W. Glover	M. J. Henderson
J. Munro	J. Budding
C. Richards	G. Cooper
(skip)	(skip)
Head:	
1.....2	2
2.....0	2
3.....0	2
4.....1	3
5.....1	4
6.....2	6
7.....1	7
8.....0	7
9.....1	8
10.....1	9
11.....0	9
12.....0	9
13.....0	9
14.....1	10
15.....0	10
16.....2	12
17.....1	13
18.....0	13
19.....2	15
20.....2	17
21.....2	19

A. D. NOURSE AND SURREY

County Cricket Club Deny Rumour

London, September 19. The Surrey County Cricket Club deny the statement that A. D. Nourse, the South African cricketer, had been invited to qualify for the county.

"It has never been thought of, let alone discussed by us in any way," says Mr. A. F. Davey, the Surrey secretary.

Nourse, who has been asked to turn professional by the Liverpool Football Club, said in an interview yesterday: "I should play as a professional for both Surrey and Liverpool if anything happened for the worse in South Africa."

SHANGHAI BOWLERS TO MEET 2ND DIVISION THIS AFTERNOON

VISITORS SHOULD REGISTER WIN

VETERAN INTERPORTER SKIPS LOCAL RINK

(By "SKIP")

Whether the Second Division bowlers who are to meet the Shanghai Interporters to-day on the Taiwo green, will succeed in putting their senior brothers to shame is a much discussed question in bowling circles just now.

That the junior representatives are a powerful combination there is no denying, but it is improbable that they will be strong enough to overcome Shanghai, if the latter continue in their present form.

Old Interport Skip

J. C. Chalmers, who is skipping the local rink, is an old Interporter, as he played for Hong Kong in 1933 as No. 2 in R. F. Luz's rink. This rink defeated one skipped by Charlie Richards, and including J. Lopes, by 21 shots to 15.

S. A. Bright, the local No. 1, though probably not the strongest player the Bowling Green could put forward, is a useful bowler, and should be a credit to the rink. W. K. Way (Craigengower), who was one of last year's finalists in the Open Pairs competition, although out of place at No. 2 (he has been playing skip all season), is another very useful player, and J. J. Basto (Recreio) should help to keep Hong Kong's tail up at No. 3.

BRITISH AQUATIC TEAM WIN

Water Polo Triumph In Sweden

Stockholm, September 20. The British water polo team beat a selected side, representing the town of Eskilstuna, by six goals to one at Eskilstuna last night.

English swimmers won all the other events decided. F. P. Laycock (Ashton-under-Lyne) took the 100 metres free style in 1min. 4.10secs. A. E. C. Summers (Penguin) the 100 metres breast stroke in 1min. 21.30secs., and R. H. Leivers (Longton) the 400 metres free style in 5min. 12.50secs. The British team also won the relay race by ten seconds.



Helen Stephens, aged 17, of Fulton, Missouri, who equalled the world record for the 100 Metres at the women's national track and field championships at New York City (when the finish of her race is seen), is hailed as a new Babe Didrickson. She cracked the U. S. mark for the 200 metres and was placed second in the Discus Throw.

Saturday's Results At A Glance

DIVISION I	
East Lancs	2
Club	3
Fusiliers	3
Recreio	1
DIVISION II	
R.A.S.C. & R.A.O.C.	1
Recreio	5
Eastern	2
University	1
Athletic	4
DIVISION III	
St. Joseph's	0
Lincolns	1
Railway	0
Air Force	0

SATURDAY'S GOALSCORERS

DIVISION I	
Higgins (Lincolns)	2
D. Knox (Kowloon)	2
Forrow (Club)	2
Omar (St. Joseph's)	1
Castillo (East Lancs)	1
North (East Lancs)	1
Talbot (Fusiliers)	1
Harrison (Fusiliers)	1
Sullivan (Fusiliers)	1
Elliott (Club)	1
DIVISION II	
Castillo (Recreio)	3
Campos (Recreio)	2
Lai Wang-on (S. China)	2
Evans (Fusiliers)	2
Pezman (Kowloon)	1
Pereira (Kowloon)	1
Ng Po Kui (S. China)	1
Vanghan (R.A.S.C. & R.A.O.C.)	1
Bowler (East Lancs)	1
Elliott (East Lancs)	1
Blake (University)	1
Lai Wah-tai (Athletic)	1
Pang Kam-sing (Athletic)	1
Tse Lin-yue (Athletic)	1
Lo Hung-cheong (Athletic)	1
Fisher (Club)	1
Sung Ming-sing (Eastern)	1
Chan Ting-lo (Eastern)	1
DIVISION III	
Tatler (Fusiliers)	3
Riley (Fusiliers)	3
Kong Hing (Chinese Police)	2
Wong Man-wai (Chinese Police)	2
Assis (Liga Portuguesa)	2
Done (European Police)	2
Downey (European Police)	2
Rush (Lincolns)	1
Jones (Fusiliers)	1
Sousae (Liga Portuguesa)	1

Yesterday's Results At A Glance

DIVISION I	
Artillery (Lyemun)	0
Police	0
DIVISION II	
Lincolns	6
Radio	6
DIVISION III	
Medicals	3
Engineers	3

YESTERDAY'S GOALSCORERS

DIVISION I	
Stephens (Police)	1
Green (Police)	1
DIVISION II	
Setters (Lincolns)	2
McGuinness (Lincolns)	2
Yusoff (Radio)	1
Turner (Lincolns)	1
Toyne (Lincolns)	1
DIVISION III	
Woods (Engineers)	2
Powell (Engineers)	2
Boyle (Engineers)	2
Pra (Medicals)	1
Todd (Medicals)	1

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LYEMUN BEATEN AT SOOKUNPOO

STEPHENS SECURES "HAT TRICK"

VERY GOOD OPENING HALF

(By "Rover")

AN even and exciting first-half, with 3 goals in the last five minutes, and a dismal and lifeless second period, were the features of yesterday's First Division soccer encounter between the Lyemun Gunners and the Police, at Sookunpoo, which the latter won by four clear goals.

Durham, the Artillery goalkeeper, covered himself with glory throughout the game, saving shots from all angles, and two point-blank drives from Stephens and Tommy Pile. It was entirely due to his great-hearted display, coupled with an energetic partnership between Clancy and Harris, the Gunners rearguard, that kept the Police score down to only one goal during the second half, when the soldiers were literally overwhelmed.

Morton, usually such a bulwark in the Gunners' defence, was a passenger yesterday, receiving a leg injury, and Fisher also received a nasty injury which kept him out of the second half. With the exception of Knight, Edmunds and Reece, the remainder proved more of a hindrance than a help, and the game became a battle royal between these six players and the Police eleven.

The Police defence commenced in a very unsteady manner, miskicks being all too frequent. Blackburn quickly settled down to his usual forceful game, however, and with Brooks and Gough in their element in hard tackling and spoiling tactics, it was rarely that the Artillery were able to manoeuvre into a shooting position.

Too Much Dribbling

Tommy Pile and Stephens were conspicuous in the Police forward line, their quick movements and interpassing constantly carrying them into the Artillery goal-area. Moss sent in several good centres, but did not receive much in the shape of a really useful pass, and Green and Johnston wasted possible openings by attempting far too much solo work instead of distributing the ball to better advantage.

During the first Police onslaught, Stephens struck the upright with a grand first-time effort, and for the Gunners, Reece went very close with a terrific drive from 25 yards, the ball just clearing the bar.

Brilliant Clearance

A judicious pass by Gough saw Stephens neatly slip between Clancy and Harris, and he ran on towards goal only to have his point-blank drive from 5 yards brilliantly cleared by Durham. A minute later Fisher saved a certain goal by kicking off the very line after Stephens had worked the ball past Durham.

Willis was selected to play at right-back instead of Everest, who, however, played much to the surprise of several Kowloon supporters.

Silva, who deputised for A. V. Gosano at right-back for the Recreio, was a failure and conceded countless corners, through ignorant play. He was a constant source of worry to R. Marques, in (Continued on Page 7)

FOOTBALL TRIAL AT CHATHAM RD.

R.A.S.C.-R.A.O.C. New Venture

In view of the fact that the combined R.A.S.C. and R.A.O.C. Second Division League team have as yet failed to find their form, the team selectors are trying out an almost entirely new team this afternoon at Chatham Road, commencing at 4 p.m.

Clarke, who usually plays at centre-forward for the combined team, will be seen between the sticks, while Cooper, the regular goalkeeper, will lead the forwards.

The following is to-day's trial team which will meet an eleven from the Royal Corps of Signals: Cooper.

LINCOLNS OVERWHELM THE RADIO

KEEN CLASH IN SECOND DIVISION

SOUZA AND ARCULLI SHINE FOR RADIO

The Lincolns captured two easy points at Sookunpoo yesterday, when in their Second Division encounter with the Radio, they overwhelmed an inferior combination by the wide margin of 6 goals to 1.

The Radio endeavoured to play good football throughout and, although the score kept mounting up against them they never once lost heart, and it was this very sporting spirit that earned them their solitary goal late in the game.

Dobbs was prominent in the Lincolns' defence with some well-timed clearances, but the Radio forwards seldom troubled them to any great extent, being too well looked after by Ibbett and Wildy. Both these halves were quick in tackling and kept their forwards constantly on the move with admirable passes.

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MEDICALS AND SAPPERS SHARE THE SPOILS

WOODS ALWAYS ON MARK

POWELL'S LATE EQUALISER

The Royal Engineers shared the points with the Medicals in their Third Division soccer encounter on the Chatham Road ground yesterday, both teams scoring three times.

A draw was a fitting result to a hard fought game and, with a strong wind blowing down the field, play throughout was mostly confined to one half.

Opening with the wind in their favour, the Medicals attacked strongly, and Boyling, in attempting to clear under pressure, headed into his own goal.

Smart Goal Following up, the Medicals went further ahead through Eym, who, receiving from Wright, on the wing, headed into the corner of the net.

With the Sappers pressing for some few minutes in the Medicals' goal area, Woods seized the opportunity to send in a fast shot from Binley, Amos, Land, Tribe and Cooper.

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MIDDLESBOROUGH'S CHALLENGE

LINCOLN AND ABERDEEN AGAIN IN LEAD

London, To-day

Huddersfield's defeat at Middlesbrough on Saturday was the leaders' first of the season, while in the Northern Section Transmere's failure at Wrenham was their first defeat of the season.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:—

FIRST DIVISION	
A. Villa	1 Bolton
Blackburn	4 Man'ter C.
Chelsea	1 Arsenal
Grimby	4 Sunderland
Leeds	1 W. Brom.
Liverpool	1 Birmingham
Middlesboro'	4 Huddersfield
Portsmouth	1 Brentford
Wednesday	1 Derby
Wolves	4 Everton
Stoke	2 Preston
SECOND DIVISION	
Blackpool	3 Sheffield U.
Bradford C.	1 Hull
Bury	3 Leicester
Doncaster	3 Bradford
Man'ter U.	1 Fulham

Newcastle	1 Charlton
Norwich	4 Port Vale
Notts F.	2 Southampton
Plymouth	7 Barnsley
Tottenham	5 Burnley
West Ham	4 Swansea
THIRD DIVISION (South)	
Brighton	0 Bournemouth
Bristol C.	0 Coventry
Cardiff	3 Notts C.
Crystal P.	2 Clapton
Gillingham	0 Luton
Millwall	1 Swindon
Northampton	2 Southend
Queen's P.R.	3 Exeter
Reading	3 Bristol
Torquay	3 Aldershot
Watford	2 Newport
THIRD DIVISION (North)	
Barrow	0 Lincoln
Chesterfield	5 Southport
Halifax	0 Darlington
Hartlepool	1 Crewe
Mansfield	1 Carlisle
N. Brighton	3 Chester
Oldham	2 Gateshead
Rotherham	2 Walsall
Stockport	1 Accrington
Wrexham	4 Tranmere
York	2 Rochdale

SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
Airdrie	1 Queen O'S
Arbroath	0 Aberdeen
Ayr	1 St. J'stone
*Celtic	— Clyde
Dundee	0 Kilmarnock
Dum'line	2 Hamilton
Hibernian	3 Albion
Motherwell	4 Hearts
Partick	7 Queen's Park
*T. Lanark	— Rangers
*Unplayed	
GLASGOW CUP FINAL	
Rangers	2 Celtic



Chan Chia, above, pivot of the Chinese Police Third Division team, contributed largely towards the sensational defeat of the Lincolns in their Third Division soccer match on Saturday.

Tables To Date

FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
1 Huddersfield	10	5	1	4	18	12	14
2 Sunderland	10	6	3	1	26	14	13
3 Derby	10	6	3	1	17	11	13
4 Middlesboro'	10	6	3	1	33	17	13
5 Arsenal	10	4	2	4	24	11	12
6 Stoke	10	6	4	0	20	15	12
7 Manchester C.	9	5	3	1	17	11	11
8 Wednesday	10	3	2	5	14	13	11
9 Birmingham	10	4	3	3	11	15	11
10 Chelsea	10	4	4	2	16	17	10
11 Blackburn	9	5	4	0	18	20	10
12 Wolves	10	4	4	2	17	17	10
13 Liverpool	10	4	5	1	23	17	9
14 Bolton	9	3	3	3	11	14	9
15 Aston Villa	10	3	5	2	17	23	8
16 Portsmouth	9	3	4	2	12	14	8
17 Leeds	10	2	4	4	8	14	8
18 Brentford	9	3	4	2	15	13	8
19 Everton	10	2	6	2	13	27	6
20 Preston	10	2	6	2	8	19	6
21 W. B'wich	10	2	6	2	11	22	6
22 Grimsby	9	3	6	0	12	23	6

SECOND DIVISION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
1 Leicester	10	7	2	1	24	14	15
2 Manchester U.	10	6	2	2	16	6	14
3 Tottenham	10	6	2	2	20	9	14
4 Shamrock	10	5	2	3	14	10	13
5 Blackpool	11	5	4	2	24	28	12
6 Swansea	10	4	3	3	19	20	11
7 Doncaster	10	4	3	3	14	17	11
8 Plymouth	9	3	3	3	14	11	11
9 Bury	10	3	3	4	16	15	11
10 Charlton	10	5	4	1	18	15	11
11 Sheffield U.	10	4	4	2	16	16	10
12 Notts F.	11	3	4	4	18	22	10
13 West Ham	10	5	5	0	20	13	10
14 Barnsley	10	4	5	1	17	26	9
15 Bradford	10	3	4	3	15	18	9
16 Newcastle	9	4	4	1	19	16	9
17 Port Vale	10	3	5	2	16	24	8
18 Fulham	10	2	4	4	19	17	8
19 Burnley	10	2	5	3	13	19	7
20 Bradford C.	10	1	5	4	9	17	6
21 Hull	10	2	6	2	10	22	6
22 Norwich	10	2	7	1	14	20	5

THIRD DIVISION (South)

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
1 Reading	10	8	2	0	21	14	16
2 Coventry	10	5	1	4	28	9	14
3 Crystal P.	11	6	3	2	24	21	14
4 Torquay	11	5	2	4	23	19	14
5 B'mouth	10	5	2	3	19	11	13
6 Newport	10	4	3	3	20	26	11
7 Millwall	10	3	2	5	12	17	11
8 Bristol R.	10	3	3	4	17	18	10
9 Swindon	10	3	4	3	17	13	10
10 Bristol C.	10	4	4	2	10	10	10
11 Luton	10	4	4	2	14	11	10
12 Southend	10	3	4	3	18	17	9
13 Watford	10	3	4	3	12	16	9
14 Notts C.	10	2	3	5	12	12	8
15 Gillingham	10	3	4	3	16	14	9
16 Clapton	10	4	5	1	15	15	9
17 Cardiff	10	2	3	5	15	16	8
18 Brighton	10	3	5	2	18	20	8
19 N'hampton	11	3	6	2	12	23	8
20 Aldershot	10	2	6	2	8	22	6
21 Exeter	11	1	8	2	16	25	4

THIRD DIVISION (North)

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
1 Lincoln	10	6	1	3	26	9	15
2 Tranmere	10	6	1	3	17	11	15
3 Chester	12	5	3	4	26	14	14
4 Chesterfield	9	4	0	5	22	8	13
5 Stockport	11	5	4	2	19	15	12
6 Wrexham	11	6	5	0	21	16	12
7 Walsall	10	4	3	3	20	14	11
8 Oldham	11	4	4	3	17	17	11
9 Rotherham	10	5	4	1	20	14	11
10 Halifax	10	4	4	2	9	9	10
11 Crewe	11	4	5	2	15	21	10
12 Carlisle	10	3	3	4	9	9	10
13 Hartlepool	10	4	4	2	14	11	10
14 Barrow	10	3	4	3	14	14	9
15 Gateshead	10	3	4	3	13	17	9
16 York	10	3	4	3	21	16	9
17 Accrington	10	4	5	1	11	22	9
18 Darlington	10	4	5	1	18	20	9
19 Rochdale	9	3	4	2	12	18	8
20 Mansfield	10	3	6	1	14	26	7
21 Southport	10	3	7	0	7	24	6
22 N. Brighton	10	1	7	2	12	24	4

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
1 Aberdeen	12	10	2	0	33	14	21
2 Celtic	11	9	1	1	31	12	19
3 Rangers	11	8	1	2	29	15	18
4 Hearts	12	6	4	2	29	21	14
5 Motherwell	12	5	3	4	23	20	14
6 Hamilton	12	5	4	3	27	20	13
7 St. J'stone	12	6	5	1	22	23	13
8 Queen's Pk.	12	4	4	4	15	18	12
9 Dundee	12	4	5	3	25	31	11
10 Dunfermline	12	2	4	5	23	27	11
11 Partick	12	5	6	1	24	22	11
12 Dundee	12	4	6	2	19	22	10
13 T. Lanark	11	2	5	2	23	30	9
14 Albion	12	4	7	1	21	29	9
15 Arbroath	12	4	8	0	14	23	8
16 Kilmarnock	12	2	6	4	12	29	8
17 Ayr	12	2	8	2	12	26	7
18 Clyde	11	2	8	1	13	22	7
19 Hibernian	12	3	6	3	19	29	9

ALL BLACKS HAVE TO BATTLE FOR WIN

MIDLAND COUNTIES' FORWARDS BRILLIANT

CROWD KEPT AT FEVER PITCH

(By Howard Marshall)

London, September 20.

THE Midland Counties put up a grand fight against the All Blacks at Coventry yesterday, a fight which set the big crowd yelling and caused small boys to turn cartwheels in their excitement behind the dead-ball line.

The counties were beaten by three tries to a penalty goal, but they convinced us that any team with real scrummaging forwards and fast backs may shake these New Zealanders into unexpected defeat.

Let us admit that the All Blacks have not yet settled down, and that with every game they play they will become more formidable. A side of great possibilities, but at present their scrummaging is poor.

Yesterday they were beaten forward in all the phases of close play. A tribute to the leadership of Dunkley, perhaps, and the excellent Midland pack, with such forwards as Beamish, Wheatley, Clarke, and Purchas hammering away relentlessly.

It seems to me, though, that the All Blacks are wasting their strength by persevering with their 3-4 formation. Again throughout the first half, as at Devonport, they packed 3-4, with Pepper, a forward, putting the ball in, and as a result they were out-scrammaged and often beaten for possession. What is more, R. J. Hanvey, an admirable referee, quite rightly penalised Pepper for failing to get back on-side.

After the interval they reverted to the more orthodox 3-4-1 formation, and it did not appear to me that Sadler, a diminutive, but most capable scrum-half, wasted any time in passing the ball out. I cannot see what the All Blacks hope to gain by their 3-4 experiment, and the sooner they settled to solid scrummaging, the sooner their dangerous backs will have the chances they need.

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LINCOLNS OVERWHELM THE RADIO

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Setters Shines

Setters, and especially McGuinness, were outstanding forwards for the military side, the latter proving very tricky in his many dribbling efforts, though a little more passing to unmarked men would have undoubtedly resulted in more scoring.

Souza, in goal, and Arculli, the left-back, were the best of a hard-pressed Radio defence, and these players had extra work to perform owing to the inability of the halves to hold the fast Lincolns forwards. In attack, the Radio were seldom seen, though Ahmed, Omar and H. Souza made many attempts to break through and were not easy to check once they did get going.

Lincolns Score First

The Lincolns opened strongly, and following shots by Setters, McGuinness and English, which were well saved by Souza, Setters opened the scoring. Further goals came quickly afterwards from R. Toyn, Setters, McGuinness and Turner.

In the second period McGuinness secured the Lincolns' sixth goal, while Yussuf made good use of a breakaway to score the Radio's only goal.

The Army Boxing Team For Season's First Match

London, September 19.

The Army Boxing Association's programme for the new season opens next Friday with a match v. Wales, at Aldershot.

They have most of last year's team available, but Private J. March, the featherweight title-holder, is with his battalion at Gibraltar.

Lightweights.—Pte. Gould (Royal Sussex Regt.) and L-Cpl. Buckley (R.E.).

Middleweights.—Bism. Hobson (Oxford and Bucks L.I.) and L-Sgt. Anderson (R.E.A.).

Light-Heavies.—Pte. Llewellyn (The Loyal Regt.) and Sgt. Wallis (The Camerons).

Heavyweights.—Pte. Pyne (R.A.M.C.), Cpl. Davis (R.E.C.) and Driver Beach (R.A.S.C.).

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LYEMUN BEATEN AT SOOKUNPOO

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Reduced to ten men, Fisher having left through an injury, the Gunners went all to pieces and the second half saw the Police have matters almost all their own way, although they could only find the net on one occasion. Stephens intercepted a low pass by Tommy Pile and, although partly held off by three men, yet contrived to get his shot in, the ball glanced in off the upright, with Durham unsighted, to complete his "hat-trick".

Mintey's Good Save

Only once during this period did the Artillery appear at all dangerous. Following a well placed corner kick by Rivers, Reece made a good attempt with a powerful header, but Mintey held and cleared.

Towards the end Durham was constantly being called upon, and he saved a hard drive from Britain and blocked Tommy Pile's shot while on the ground in the goal-mouth.

The Police were good value for their win, but at no time did the football reach very inspiring standards.

R.A. (Lyemun):—Durham: Clancy and Harris; Scott, Morton and Fisher; Rivers, Turner, Edmunds, Knight and Burrell.

Police:—Mintey; Blackburn and C. Pile; Brooks, Gough and Britain; T. Pile, Johnston, Stephens, Green and Moes.

CHINA NATIONAL GAMES

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SHANGHAI WIN

The final of the Women's 80 Metres Hurdles was won by Miss H. S. Chien, of Shanghai, who established a new National record by clocking 14.2-5 seconds. Miss F. Y. Hsu, of Malaya, was second, while Miss S. F. Hu, of Honan and Miss H. H. Tsao, of Malaya, were third and fourth, respectively.

The Malayan Chinese men gained their first big success yesterday in the 200 Metres sprint when C. C. Fu, came first in 22.9-10 seconds, followed by S. K. Tai, of Shanghai, K. P. Yeh, of Shanghai, and J. T. T. Senz, of Kiangsu.

The Women's 100 Metres was won by Shanghai, Miss S. Li breaking the tape in 13.7-10 seconds. Miss H. S. Chien, of Shanghai, Miss Y. C. Teng, of Malaya, and A. P. Tang, of Shanghai, came second, third and fourth, respectively.

NATIONAL RECORD

A new National record was set in the Javelin Throw by Y. C. Peng, of Peiping, who distanced 50.275 metres. H. M. Fu, of Kwangtung, was second, while S. M. Li, and C. C. Chow, of Liaoning Province Manchuria, were third and fourth.

Fukien gained their first success in the Women's High Jump, when Miss J. Y. Tang cleared 1.32 metres. Miss M. Y. Ho, of Hunan, Miss M. Y. Peng, of Kwangtung, and Miss P. L. Su, of Hupeh, came second, third and fourth.

The Shanghai Men secured their first triumph yesterday when in the 110 Metres High Hurdles, S. C. Lin broke the tape in 16.3-5 seconds, followed by Y. C. Huang, of Kwangtung, Y. T. Lin, of Nanking, and C. C. Li, of Malaya, in that order.

MALAYAN SETBACK

The Malayan women suffered their first defeat in the Volleyball contest when they lost to Hunan by 3 to nil, while Shanghai women secured a meritorious win over the Malayan women in the Basketball contest by 47 points to 34.

In the other ties in the Women's Tennis Singles Miss S. N. Hsueh, of Nanking, beat Miss S. T. Li, of Malaya, by 1-6, 6-2, 6-4, while Miss C. Chen, of Nanking, beat Mrs. H. C. Li, of Malaya, by 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

In the Men's Singles Lin Bong-soo, the former National and present Malayan champion, beat C. Y. Ling, of Hunan, by 6-2, 6-0, while T. A. Chen, of Malaya, beat K. Y. Chang, of Hunan, by 7-5, 6-4—Reuter.

ALL BLACKS HAVE TO BATTLE FOR WIN

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Opportunists

They had very few real chances yesterday, though, as usual, they proved themselves to be first-rate opportunists, as quick as lightning upon the mis-kick or the dropped pass. Most of their attacking, indeed, began with mistakes by their opponents upon which they pounced like hawks.

It is their speed both of thought and action which should pull them through against all but the pick of the home teams. Speed saved them yesterday, at any rate, and I liked the look of Mitchell, a fast and resolute newcomer on the left wing, who had a hand in all the New Zealand tries.

Hart, on the right wing, has already established himself as a great player, but the midfield men found themselves met by a sturdy defence. Page, incidentally, at first five-eighths, stood unusually close to the scrum, as he did against Devon and Cornwall, hoping, no doubt, for the sudden straight cut-through. If he remains in that position he will have some busy afternoons with opposing back-row forwards.

Nothing But Praise

For the Midland Counties there can be nothing but praise. Their pack were magnificent, and behind the scrummage they showed resolution and enterprise. A pity Peter Cranmer could not play, for he might just have turned the scales, but Kenyon, his deputy, did very well.

And Harris had a queer, but successful afternoon, first as a promising full-back, then, after being hurt in making a grand save, as a forward; finally, as the kicker of the Midlands' penalty goal.

The ground was packed and the sun shining when Bayliss kicked off for the Counties. A strong, gusty wind, blowing generally behind the All Blacks, made conditions difficult, but very soon Wheatley led the Midlands in a fine rush, the first of many such thrusts at the New Zealand defence.

Gradually it became clear that the Counties were pressing steadily, but every now and again, as a pass went astray, the All Blacks flashed swiftly into attack.

Grand Tackling

Those sudden raids were menacing, and only the most determined tackling stopped Hart and Solomon as they raced for the line. Back came the Counties, but Page cleared neatly, and once more, after a long kick by Bayliss, New Zealand turned defence into attack.

Solomon was nearly over a prodigious maul swayed and heaved near the Counties line, and then the ball was whipped across to Mitchell, who ran and dived and slithered over for a try, with Harris hanging round his knees.

Gilbert failed to convert — his kicking in that wind had lost its dealness — but soon Oliver broke through the centre, and Beamish crashed Mitchell into touch when another try seemed certain. Twenty-five desperate minutes had gone, and the Counties were still full of fight, winning the tight scrummage, using their feet, only to be driven back by swift opportunism.

A Tragedy!

As it happened, a darting run by Hart paved the way to tragedy for the Midlands. Pegged down in their own 25 they strove gallantly until a wild kick for touch went straight into the arms of Mitchell, who merely had to dash a dozen yards for an unopposed try.

So at half-time New Zealand led by six hard-earned points, and we wondered what the Midlands would do with the wind behind them. They soon let us see their intentions, for Beamish came away in a grand dribble, and Kenyon punted to touch near the New Zealand 25.

The roar of the crowd grew to a frenzied bellow of excitement as Bayliss kicked ahead and followed up to force a New Zealand touch-down, and all the while the Counties' forwards were pounding and tearing foot by foot towards the All Black line.

Tense Excitement

Giles slipped through from the scrummage, but was smothered; Bayliss went near with a drop, at goal; Purchas broke clear from the line-out and sent Obolensky racing along the touch-line; a small boy did a couple of hand-



When a huge wave from an Atlantic squall hit a holiday fishing boat off Point Lookout, Long Island, Irving Billing (left) and Adolph Berthier (right), shown with a friend, were the heroes who lent a helping hand to rescue 20 of their comrades who were swept into the sea. A man and a woman were drowned.

MANY TEAM CHANGES IN LOCAL SOCCER

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goal, who was never certain what was going to happen with Silva in front of him.

Delgado Fails

Delgado, who played at forward for the Recreio, was also a failure and did not avail himself of the openings made by Bertie Gosano, who played a magnificent game, feeding his winger with glorious passes.

Probably the outstanding player on view on Saturday was Gurbachan Singh, the Saints' leader, who has an amazing conception of distribution and does not waste one of the balls he sends out to his wings.

Good Ball Control

A wonderful leader at hockey and one who is renowned for his stickwork, Gurbachan Singh has lost none of his prowess with the leather, and he dribbles as well with his feet as he does with a hockey stick.

Where he is handicapped, however, is in weight, and I certainly don't blame him for not charging! Ward missed Darkie Lee badly on the right-wing.

Souza Impresses

Another player who impressed me was Souza, the Saints right-back, whose first-time clearances and clever interceptions contributed largely towards the Saints retaining their unbeaten record. Elms, however, heralded his return to the game after a lapse of a fortnight through an ankle injury, with a very mediocre display.

spings in his excitement and landed on a corpulent spectator's toes.

Again Page cleared with cool judgment, and slowly New Zealand relieved the pressure, battling their way close enough for Gilbert to attempt a drop at goal. The Counties still had powder and shot, though, and Thacker ran strongly and punted ahead, only to see Mitchell dash past him to fall on the ball and save the try.

Once more the Midlands were pressing — crosskick caught by the alert Purchas, and Kenyon slipped through, but swift covering kept him out.

Touch-down Awarded

Mitchell was irrepressible, however, and before long he swerved clear of Thacker and gave an inside pass to McKenzie, a powerful forward, who hurled himself over and was awarded the touch-down despite muscular attempts to hold him up.

By that time the Midlands' hopes of victory had faded, but they had some slight recompense for their valiant labours when Harris landed a fine penalty goal with the last kick of a rousing game.

MIDLAND COUNTIES.—R. Harris (Coventry); A. Obolensky (Leicester); H. Kenyon (Birmingham); S. G. Wake (Derby); C. E. Thacker (Walsall); Gwyn Bayliss (Wolverhampton); J. C. Giles (Coventry); A. Walker (Coventry); A. Wyman (Coventry); H. Westley (Coventry); A. Clarke (Coventry); P. E. Dunkley (Harlequins); E. St. G. Beamish (R. A. F. and Leicester); A. H. Purchas (Coventry); S. E. A. Anthony (Walsall).

NEW ZEALANDERS.—G. Gilbert; C. F. Hart; C. J. Oliver; N. A. Mitchell; D. Solomon; J. B. Page; B. S. Sedler; J. E. Manchester; A. Lambourne; D. Dalton; G. Atkins; R. M. McKenzie; R. R. King; J. Best; C. P. P.

LITERARY NOTES

"IS VISIONS ABOUT?"

DANE WHO KNOWS IRELAND

Faithful Picture Of "Troubles"

One has read many novels about the Irish troubles, from 1917 to 1925. They have all been written by Irishmen. It has taken a Dane to give a clearer view of all the complications involved.

It is indeed quite astonishing how well the author of "Spilt Milk, Nis Petersen" knows Ireland. He has his own views upon the troubles, and it is possible that these colour his book to some extent; but on the whole his account runs very closely with that moving autobiography published about a year ago, "Remembering Sion," by Desmond Ryan, who, of course was in the thick of it all.

Mr. Petersen is accurate not only in his facts; he captures with complete success the Irish spirit and atmosphere.

Central Figure

His central figure, Barney McCleary, is the real Irishman to the tip of his toe-nails, and his somewhat grim sweetheart Kitty no less so. Barney had taken zealously part in the war against the English, but he refused to become actively involved in the Civil War which followed the treaty; and for this he found himself out of favour with both sides. In the end his fate was the same as that of hundreds and thousands of other young Irishmen of his times; though not, it may be said, for the usual reason.

The villain of Mr. Petersen's piece is Mr. De Valera, and who is to say that Mr. Petersen is not right? Certainly one would not venture so far. This novel will consolidate the reputation of the author of "The Street of the Sandal-makers"; and the translation from the Danish by Mr. Claude Napier is perfectly done. The task cannot have been an easy one, but not a line nor a scrap of the idiomatic dialogue ever reminds one that it is a translation.

AN AUSTRALIAN NOVEL

Some Extravagant Methods

"Brave Music" by Ernest Wells, is a theatrical, violent affair which reads like a mixture of the juicier bits of Dickens, Dumas, and Victor Hugo mashed together. The Australians seem to enjoy this kind of lush writing. Perhaps there is something in the atmosphere.

The construction is poor, with a fresh set of characters introduced in nearly every one of the first dozen chapters, till one's head spins with them all. The book, which deals with the life of a little girl who runs away from an Australian farm and is adopted by a robustly mad lighthouse-keeper, is sentimental and over-written. And yet Mr. Wells gets his effects, in an extravagant way, and there are some good passages in his book.

PUNGENT TIT-BIT

SPORT IN THE AIR

Up Above The World So High

"AVIATION MEMOIRS"

In the "Aviation Memoirs" of Flight-Lieutenant Cathcart-Jones, the account of his participation with Mr. Ken Waller in the Melbourne centenary air race is one of the most interesting sections in a book crowded with happenings and varied feats of airman-ship. The excitement of preparation is well conveyed, and all the difficulties, the dangers of the journey graphically described.

Flying blind in a storm over the Taurus Mountains, overshooting Baghdad, springing an oil leak over the Timor Sea, making forced landings in all sorts of unpromising places, are only a few of the mishaps experienced, and it is really a wonder the aviators reached Melbourne when they did, and secured third place. This success they attribute largely to the character of their machine, a de Havilland Comet. More space could have been devoted to this exciting flight, but the writer has so many other things to narrate that it forms but the climax of the picture, though the climax to a great career.

Early Transfer

Flight-Lieutenant Cathcart-Jones was one of those naval officers who, when an air arm for the navy was formed, transferred to it, and served subsequently in the Mediterranean, China, and Palestine. The thrills of this service included forced landings in the sea, operations against Chinese pirates and engagement in quelling civil disturbance during the Palestine troubles of 1929.

Many good photographs illustrate every aspect of this life, and of seaplane management.

Leaving the services, the author had many experiences as a flight instructor, and freelance of the air, film pilot, and trusted conveyer of celebrities from place to place. He was closely associated with the late Lieutenant-Commander Glen Kidston, and flew with him from London to Paris in 1931 in 72 minutes—a record which he still holds. Other records with Kidston were a 4,000 mile flight round Europe, and a dash of 7,000 miles from London to Capetown. He has much to say about the character and personality of this lamented airman.

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"A HOUSE AND ITS HEAD"

"A House and Its Head" is a remarkable novel. Miss Compton Burnett has invented a technique which is all her own. Her book is written almost entirely in dialogue, which reads like the script of a play; description is cut down to the barest minimum, scarcely ever more than a short paragraph, and a change of scene or time is abruptly indicated in three or four words as bald as a stage-direction.

This technique would suit few themes. It excellently suits Miss Compton Burnett's, for she is concerned with the unconscious exposure of their own cruelties, follies, evils, self-deceptions, and above all stupidities by various human types. To this end she lays her scene among the upper middle-class society of a rural community fifty years ago and we thus get the detachment requisite to her method. Having laid her butterflies out for us, Miss Compton Burnett spears them mercilessly with her finely-pointed wit.

El Greco Twist

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Italy will not be the only one to bomb places on the sounding of the gong, and the bases at Massowah and its neighbourhood are far more important than the elimination of Addis Ababa. In fact the Italian armour reveals many chinks.

It will be a desperate war and a stubborn one, for a brave race will be fighting for its life, and to those who know Abyssinia the chances of final Italian conquest do not seem so very impressive in spite of all their sabre-rattling.

If you remember, exactly the same sort of prelude was played in 1914, when the Kaiser, after brushing aside a certain "contemptible little army," was going to wash his hands in Paris, dry them in London, and have his army home again by Christmas.

Sheer Brute Force

But that is not all. Before Mussolini attacked Abyssinia, he would have been wise to establish a case in the eyes of the world. On the strength of the reasons he has given so far, it is doubtful whether anyone, no matter what his shade of political thought, will regard an invasion of Abyssinia as anything other than an unprovoked attack and a display of sheer brute force.

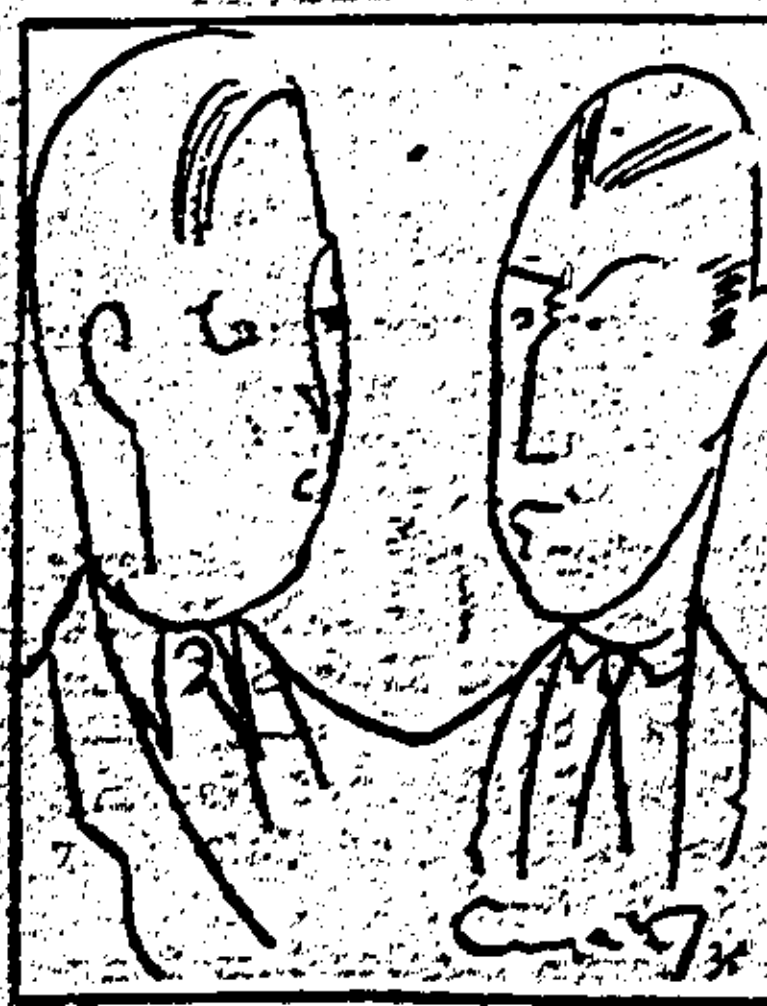
The world no longer believes in that sort of thing. Black or barbaric, Abyssinia, like the Belgium of 1914, has the sympathy—and will have more—of every civilised nation which subscribes to the belief that freedom is a nation's most priceless asset.

Italy's present case is trumpery, but when it comes to a "show-down" the world wants something much more reasonable. Whatever her aspirations, as matters stand she had no shadow of excuse for declaring war, though only the purblind denied that that was her intention. But she will find a world-wide lack of sympathy not so easy to disregard.

Waiting And Watching!

In Europe there are many on Italy's northern and eastern frontiers waiting events. When Italy's finest soldiers are fruitlessly fighting fevers and a host of tropical diseases—and Abyssinians; when the Arabs in and on the borders of Tripolitania come into action; when strong minorities of anti-Fascists in Italy, the muzzles torn off, find the weapons of economic distress readily to hand—then again history will surely repeat itself and Rome, as she has done before, will have to recall the remnants of her imperial cohorts as quickly as she can, to save her own existence.

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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The s.s. Rawalpindi, with the outward bound English mails, left Singapore on Saturday at 4 p.m., and is due in the Colony on Thursday.

Some time between 10 and 11 p.m. last night, some unknown person entered the bedroom of Mr. Moisyer, of No. 7 Humphreys Buildings, and stole a wallet containing \$102.15.

On the application of Sergeant Grainger at the Central Police Court this morning, Mr. G. A. A. Macfadyen ordered the confiscation of 350 catties of sugar found on the s.s. Seistan at the Douglas Wharf on October 6, which was unmanifested and unclaimed.

Chung Yu-wah, master of trading junk T5160H, reports that his junk, which left Hong Kong at about 5.30 p.m. on Saturday with a cargo of coal and wood, towed by the steam launch Tin Fat, for Ma Lau, Chinese Territories, was capsized and sunk off Lin Tin, at about 4 a.m. by a sudden gust of wind. The entire crew was rescued by the steam launch and brought to Hong Kong. The cargo, valued at \$3,000, belonged to Messrs. Wo Fat and Company.

Air-Commodore J. B. Bowen, who visited Hong Kong and other British Eastern air centres, in accordance with the Air Ministry's programme which allows for two of these tours of inspection each year, and Air-Commodore S. W. Smith, of Singapore, left Hong Kong on Saturday, together with Lt-Lieut. L. H. Stewart and Lt-Lieut. G. C. Bladen, by the s.s. Ti-lawa for Singapore. They will fly from Singapore in an Imperial Airways liner to Iraq.

The s.s. Tjisidane, one of the "big three" of the Java-China-Japan Line, will arrive here tomorrow at daylight, instead of on Wednesday afternoon as per schedule. The reason for the increased speed is on account of the large consignment of fresh mangoes and "rambutans," known here as Java



John Y. Barlow (above), reputed Bishop of the polygamist cult at Short Creek, Arizona, will be among the first called to explain the beliefs and practices of the community by the State authorities who are investigating their so-called "religion." He is seen here with seven of his 19 children, whom he calls his "keys of eternal happiness."

Appeal By Laval Comes Too Late

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Many Arabs living here have expressed the desire that the British Minister should send all Arab women and children to Aden for safety.

Permission to land in Aden was, however, declined by the British authorities, the reason being that all women and children resident in Aden have already been sent elsewhere since active preparations for the event of war are being made, anti-aircraft guns having been erected on the heights surrounding the town and harbour, in addition to the existing fortifications.

VOLUNTEERS FROM PARIS
Paris: The first transport of 60 Italian residents in Paris who have volunteered for service at the front left here yesterday and will soon be followed by other contingents.

The Italian volunteers from France will be trained at Sabaudia and will later join the "Tevere Division" commanded by Minister Pariani, the leader of the Italian Fascists living abroad.

The total number of Italian residents in France is estimated at one million, of whom 200,000 are living in Paris.

REVIEW AT ADOWA
Rome: The victory celebrations originally planned for Friday took place yesterday at Adowa, when the Commander-in-Chief, General de Bono, held a great review of the troops which had captured the town, consisting of the entire Second Army Corps. On the conclusion of the parade, on the plain outside the town, General de Bono and his escort ascended to the heights above the town, where a memorial was unveiled to the 6,000 Italians who fell at Adowa in 1896.

The monument has been erected at the exact spot where the fatal outcome of the battle was decided when the Abyssinians stormed the heights held by the Italians. After the ceremony General de Bono received church dignitaries and other leading personalities of the territory which has now been formally annexed by Italy.

The Italian Commander-in-Chief told the clergy and the chiefs that life in the conquered territory would now resume its normal course. He pointed out that roads, bridges and aqueducts had already been constructed by the Italian troops and affirmed that the conquered region would soon be raised to the same level as those civilised colonies which had been under Italian rule for the last 40 years.

FINANCIAL SANCTIONS
Geneva: The text of "Proposal No. 2," which will provide for financial sanctions, was drawn up by the Drafting Committee yesterday afternoon, and was subsequently, it is understood, endorsed by the Economic Sub-Committee, which in turn will submit it for the approval of the Committee of Eighteen, which is scheduled to meet to-day at 6.30 p.m.

lai-chee, from Batavia. Approximately 80 cases of mangoes and 40 cases of rambutans are to be discharged here. Messrs. the Java Fruit Agency are the sole distributors of these Java fruits in China.

Since the full Co-ordinating Committee is likewise assembling to-day, it is hoped to put a new set of sanctions in force the same evening. The strictest secrecy is being observed concerning yesterday's discussions, but it is understood that State and private Italian deposits abroad, as well as the interest due on Italian loans, will be exempted from the measures envisaged.

All other credits, including private credits, will fall under the ban. It appears, though, that great differences of opinion still exist concerning the interpretation of the term "private credits," Britain apparently wishing to make this term as all-inclusive as possible.—Trans-Ocean Service.

BITTERNESS IN ROME
Rome: The decision taken by the Geneva Sanctions Committee to prohibit the exportation of arms to Italy, while authorising such exportation to Abyssinia, is provoking bitterness and criticism from the Italian Press.

The *Giornale d'Italia* asserts that "the Italian nation will never forget that England and her satellites are willing to procure for a slavery state, Abyssinia, death-dealing weapons to be used against Italian soldiers."

The journal goes on to say that the organisation of all economic and productive forces in Italy is proceeding hand-in-hand with the discipline and solidarity of the Italian people and all together will ensure a formidable power of economic resistance which will work miracles.

MEASURES TO BE ADOPTED
The journal continues by saying that Italy will give a wide berth to the markets of "enemy" countries and will assiduously cultivate economic relations with countries which are remaining friendly and neutral and "which are not influenced by the general madness." In respect to coal, Italy will become even more independent of British supplies.

The paper concludes: "Conscious of the historic moment when all Italians will submit to the serious regime of restriction and economy of articles of consumption, luxury will be entirely suppressed while the consumption of the necessities of life will be reduced to the utmost limits."

"The League of Nations," writes the *L'Avanti!*, "is now organising war in favour of the last remaining agglomeration of African tribes which are still outside the pale of European civilisation." —Trans-Ocean Service.

CLUES IN RAVINE MYSTERY

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Having regard to the fact that Mrs. Ruxton is missing, he adds, it is almost certain that the second body is that of a female.

GRUESOME DISCOVERY
A Reader's message of October 1 stated:—
A gruesome discovery pointing to a double murder by a madman is baffling the police at Moffat, Dumfriesshire, where a number of parcels containing human remains have been recovered from bridge.

To-day's Short Story

LIVE BAIT

By John D. Morse

"WHEN you've been around the sea as long as I have you won't be so sure what's true and what ain't, especially about eels." The old man held up the stump of his right forefinger. "I watched an eel gnaw off that finger."

Six or seven of us in the ship's smoking-room sat up and looked at him—naturally. Even the young Australian who had been telling us, among other things, all about eels, how they looked dangerous but weren't—even he sat up.

We were one day out of Suva, bound for Auckland, so we weren't very well acquainted yet, and nobody had even noticed the old man, who'd been concentrating on the month-old London papers as though they were still damp from the presses. He had bushy white hair and eyebrows and a face almost as brown as a native's. But when he looked up we saw he was no South Sea Islander.

POLICE RESERVE

Orders For The Current Week

Orders by Mr. D. Burlingham, Inspector General of Police.

Chinese Company

Training Course—Part II.—All recruits of the Chinese Company who have not yet passed Part II of Training Course will attend at the Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, October 15th at 17.30 hours for instruction.

Inspection Parade.—All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police Station on Thursday, October 17th at 17.30 hours under Sub-Inspector R. J. Hunt for a general inspection of equipment etc., by the Company Commander. Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, Belt with Brace, Truncheon, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. The Equipment Officer will make a point of being present.

Indian Company

1st Aid Classes.—All members taking this course will report at the Indian Company Headquarters, 20 Ice House Street on Tuesday, October 15th at 18.30 hours for instruction.

Training Course—Part II.—All recruits of the Indian Company will attend Indian Company Headquarters, 20 Ice House Street on Thursday, October 17th at 17.30 hours for instruction.

Leave.—Constable R277 Shan Zada Khan has been granted leave of absence from the Colony, from 12th October, 1935 to 11th April, 1936.

Flying Squad

Special Duty.—Members who are detailed for Special Duty will parade at Central Police Station at 14.15 hours on Saturday, October 19th 1935. Dress—White Uniform, and Cap with White Cover.

Instructional Patrol.—The instructional patrol for the members of the Flying Squad will take place on Friday, October 25th at 17.30 hours sharp. All members will fall in at Central Police Station at that time. Dress—White Uniform, and Cap with White Cover.

Emergency Unit Reserve

Defendu.—Defendu Instructions will take place at the basement of the Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute on Friday, October 18th 1935. All members are requested to be present at the above mentioned place at 17.20 hours.

D. L. KING,
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Hong Kong, Monday, October 14th 1935.

the bottom of an 80-foot ravine two miles from Moffat on the main Carlisle-Edinburgh Road. Doctors have ascertained that the remains are those of an adult man and woman, but the bodies appear to have been deliberately mutilated in view of the removing of all trace of identity, almost the only clue at present being the newspapers in which the remains were wrapped.

The police believe that the victims were murdered and that the bodies were cut up and taken to the spot by motor car and then thrown into the ravine from the bridge.

His eyes, beneath those white brows, were the colour of the North Atlantic in winter—icy blue, not warm, like the South Seas. He looked us all over, letting his blue eyes gleam for a second under a cocked eyebrow at the young-know-it-all-then-he-calmly began his story. He was a born story-teller and loved it like the Polynesians from whom he'd probably learned the art. Only he knew more words, so he was better.

"I was on the beach down in Raratonga when that happened," he began, holding up his hand once more so we could see the scarred palm as well as the stump of finger. "I'd got off a trader at Avarus to look around, and was waiting for another boat to come along and take me off again. Meantime I was livin' with the Kanakas, just like one of 'em."

"One morning I was out picking shellfish off the rocks along the shore at low tide, and I'd just about decided to call it a day when I saw one of those shiny cowrie shells, the kind the natives call leho. They're deep brown and look like these real fine dishes the Chinese have. I knew it would tickle the little boy of the family I was staying with, so I crawled out and reached for him while I kept an eye on the sea for the big waves. Then I noticed a funny thing.

"The rock I was on was a big flat one that must have weighed five or ten tons, but it was balanced just so my weight would tip it towards the shore. When I wasn't on it, though, it tilted back and almost touched a bigger rock, a jagged one on its seaward side.

"I stood there in the bright sun, enjoyin' the feeling of power that little tilting stunt gave me. Then I noticed a series of big waves rolling in from the sea, each one bigger than the one before it, like they usually are.

"Well, I figured I had time to get that leho, so I stopped to pry him off with the old file I was using. He was down near the water in a crack between the tilting rock and the jagged one. I had to get right down in the crack to reach him. All at once I heard a boom on the other side of the jagged rock, and the wave came flying over it to pour down on the tilting stone.

"I was soaked, of course. I'd sure misjudged the size of that wave. I knew the next one would be even bigger, so I just shook the salt out of my eyes and wedged my foot down in the crack. Then I put my back against the jagged rock and hung on as best I could. "It was so big it flew right over me. The air turned to white spray. But I hardly felt the wave. It banged down on the other edge of the flat, tilting stone, and before I knew it that rock had tipped up and let my foot down in the crack. Then, before I could yank my ankle out again, the water ran off the stone, she tipped back, and there I was, caught like a squid in a lobster's claw.

"I felt pretty foolish, all right, with those two stones pinching my ankle, just tight enough to cut the skin a little bit. It didn't hurt, but I could see the water turning red from the blood. The crack was wide enough so the bone wasn't smashed, but I could no more jerk my foot out than you could crawl through that porthole. "And I couldn't tilt the stone from where I was layin'. Thirty pounds of weight on the other edge of it would have moved it, but there wasn't any thirty-pound weight handy that I could throw over and disturb the balance, so to speak. I was caught, sure enough. Till another wave flew up and tilted the rock, or somebody came along to jump on it. I wasn't going to do much moving around. It looked like I was in for a dull, hot day. Then I saw the eels.

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Under the auspices of the Hong Kong University Education Society, Mr. W. L. Handy-side will lecture on "The Early Education of John Stuart Mill and Lord Macaulay" next Friday at 8.30 p.m. in the University Union Assembly Hall. All are welcome.

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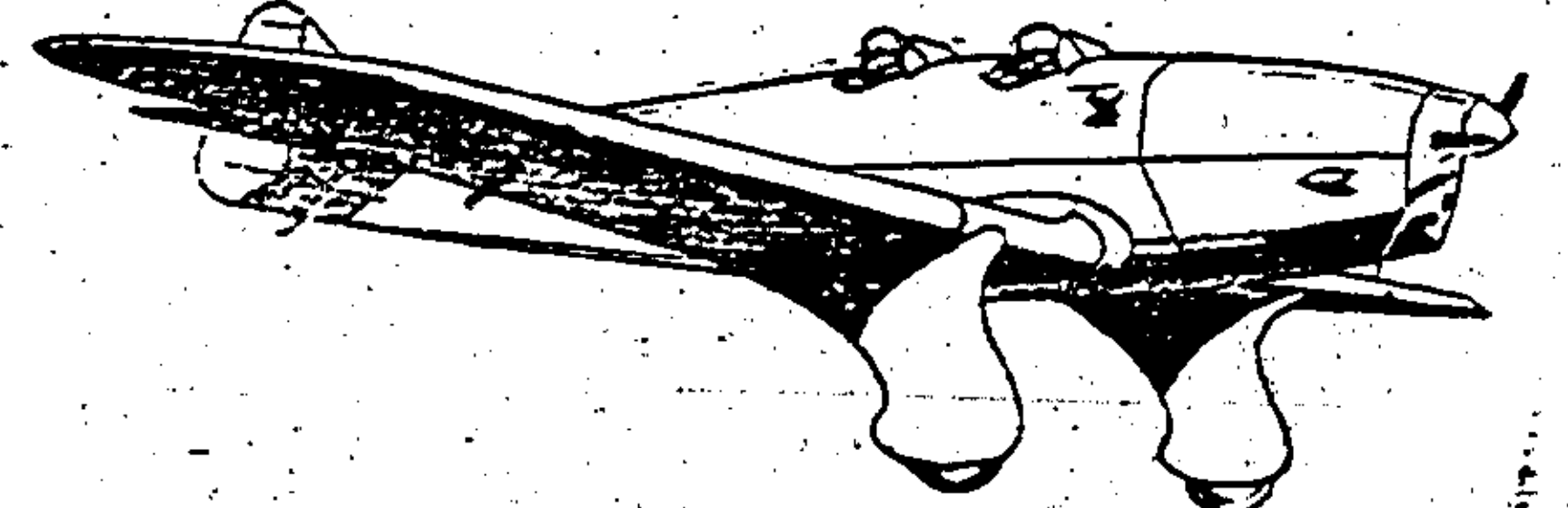
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An expedition is to leave Holland next month for an aerial exploration, in British machines, of 2,000 square miles of the western section of New Guinea. This Dutch possession, ten times the size of Holland, is largely unexplored. The area it is hoped to chart is a third country.

The expeditions, which will be away 18 months, consists of 25 Europeans and as many natives. It is led by Capt. R. N. de Ruyter van Steveninck, an Army pilot, and is being sent, by the Netherlands New Guinea Petroleum Company, owned by Dutch, British and American interests.

Options Granted

The company has been granted options on land hoped to be oil-bearing.

Geological investigations will follow the aerial survey of low-lying, malarial country inhabited by cannibal Papuans, who, however, are not expected to cause much trouble. All the members of the expedition will be armed.

Three de Havilland Dragon-6 Rapid machine were selected for the expedition after careful testing. They will be flown from England to Java by a Dutch and two English pilots shortly.

AUTOGYRO LANDS ON SHIP'S DECK

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The first deck landings by autogyro on a British warship took place recently on H.M.S. Courageous, the aircraft carrier, at Spithead.

Mr. R. A. C. Brie, Chief Test Pilot of the Cierva Autogyro Company at Hanworth Airdrome, flew an R.A.F. gyroplane to the aircraft carrier and stayed in the ship a few days, carrying out daily exercises.

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LIVE BAIT

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"The water was pretty low by this time, leaving that rank fishy smell of a beach under ebb tide. I was noticing the colours of the rock down below my stone when I saw the first eel, a big yellow one about four feet long. He was slipping along in the shadow of a rock that had a bunch of purple seaweed hanging down off it into the water.

"Now, of course, the thought of an eel makes chills go up my spine, much less the sight of one. But even before that day on the rock I'd never liked 'em. No native does. They've always got a hungry look. They ain't afraid of nothing because they can lick anything smaller than they are, and hide under a rock from anything bigger.

"And that coat of slime they carry around on 'em will turn off even an iron spear-head as easy as a duck's feathers turn, off water. They're like snakes, only worse. Snakes'll run away, mostly. Eels run away and then sneak back.

"Well, I watched this yellow eel slipping along under the rock with his jaws open, ready to bite anything that looked promising. Then he doubled back and headed for the crack between my rocks—where my foot was just touching the water. Then I saw a couple more of the slippery devils and I knew what had brought 'em. They'd smelled my blood.

"Before I thought to draw up my foot as far as it would come I felt something slimy against my ankle. Then a jab of pain like a handful of needles shot up my leg. Or maybe I ought to say a jawful of needles, 'cause that's what an eel's mouth looks like. I looked down between the stones and saw that yellow eel with his jaws stretched wide around my ankle. He didn't know what it was, but as long as it had blood in it he didn't care.

"As soon as I shook my foot, though, he was gone. Then I drew it up so, only the part protected by my shoe stuck out below. But pretty soon I felt him or another one nosing that leather shoe and I began to look around for help.

"Up and down the coast as far as I could see there was nothing but green palm trees leaping out over the hot sand. The sea was pretty calm that day, and about the only sound was the sucking of the water as it flowed in around the rocks and then eased out again. Every now and then one of those big waves that rise for no reason, right out of a flat sea, would come roaring and foaming in towards the shore, but because the tide was still out no more of 'em came in far enough to touch the two rocks that had me caught.

"Well, I wasn't exactly scared. All I had to do was wait till the tide came in again, when another wave would probably tilt the rock like the last one had. But the thought of those eels kind of unnerved me. And the sight of them

.....I suppose they wasn't any bigger than plenty I'd seen before, but they looked monstrous.
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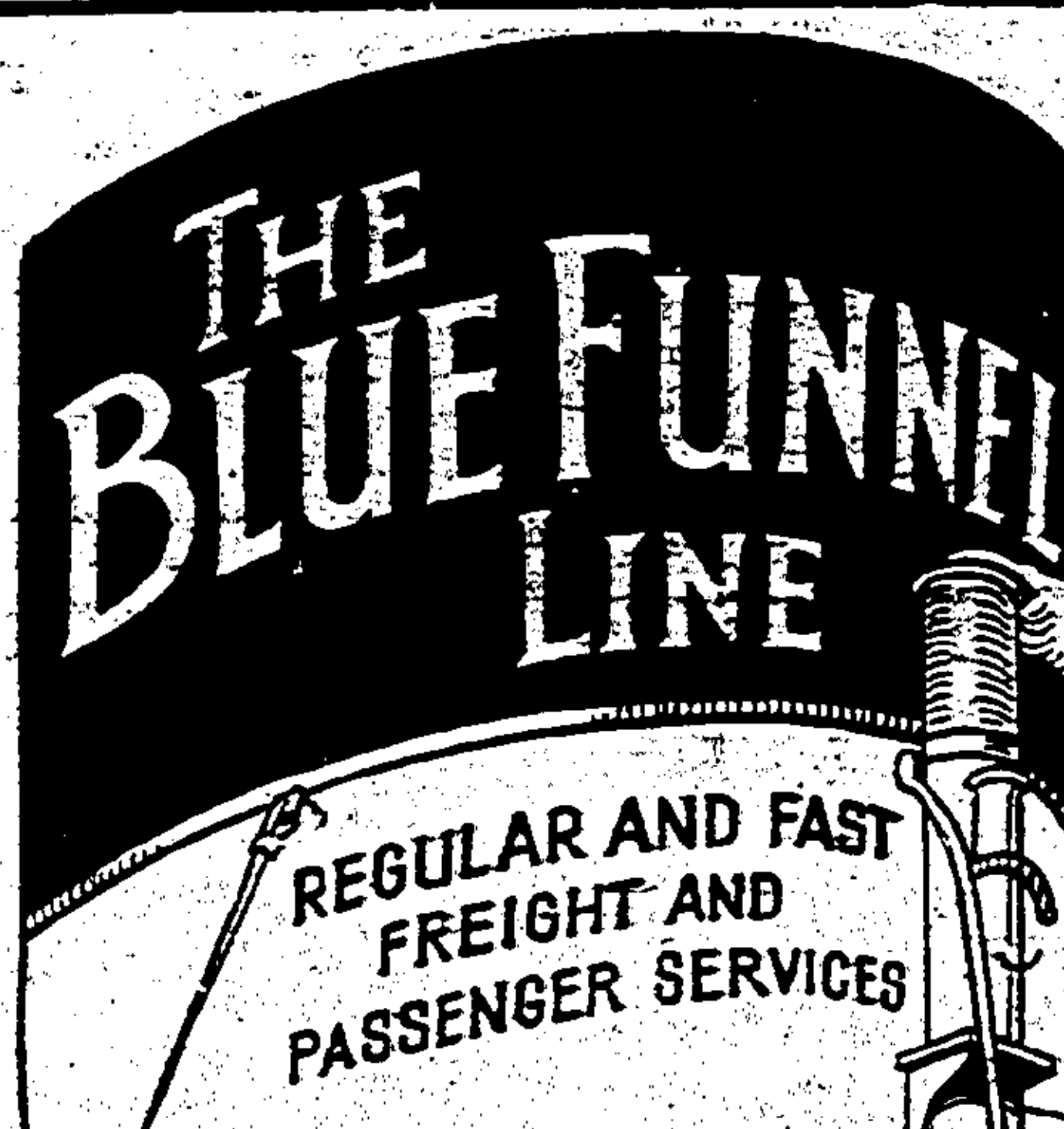
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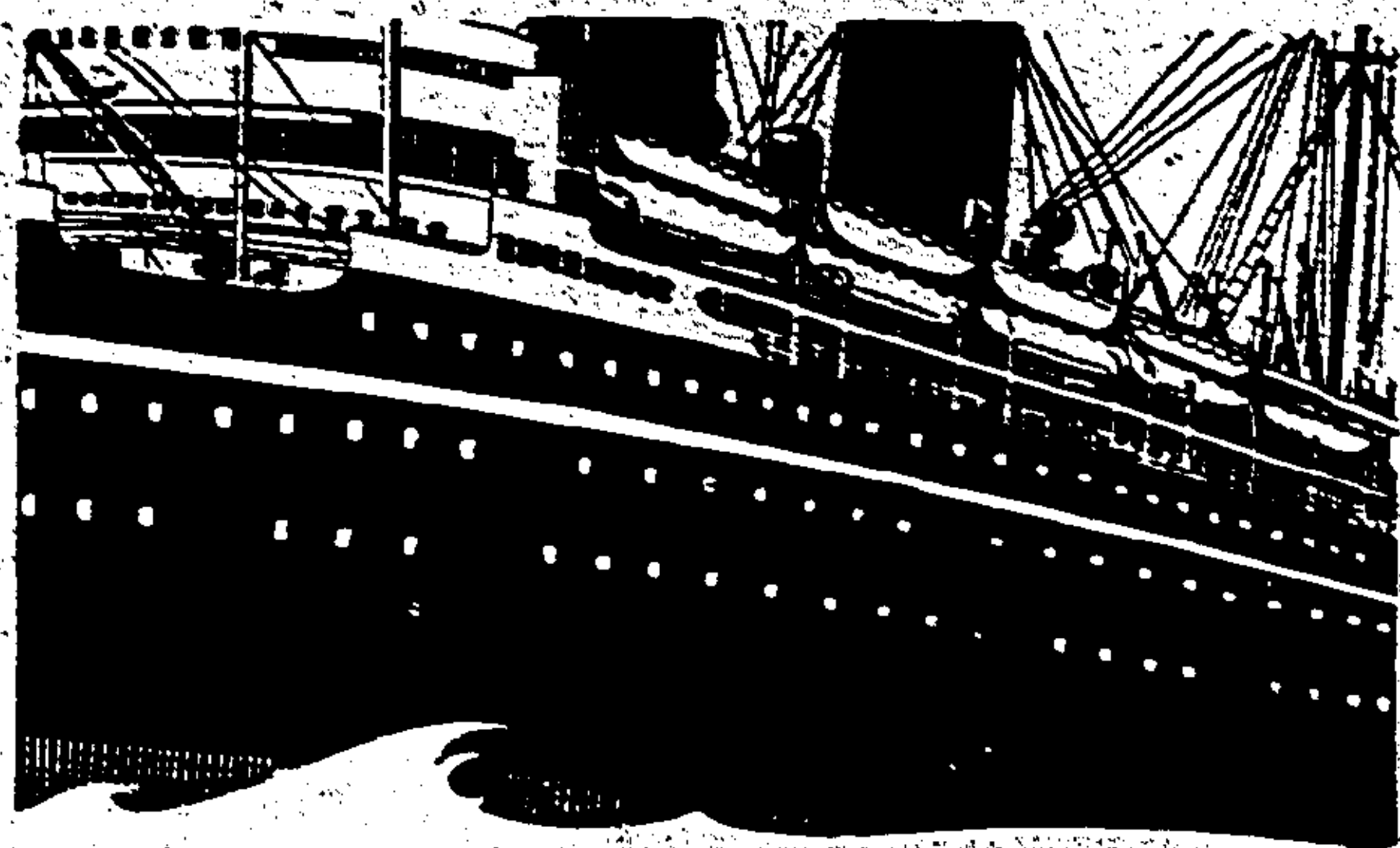
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The British group arrived at Quebec in the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Australia" September 4, and their spokesman stated they hoped to "learn quite a bit while in Canada". Photograph shows commencement of the educational process with

Captain Arthur Rothwell, Commander of the Empress of Australia, as the dominion. He is pointing out scenic beauties of the St. Lawrence river.

The party's itinerary includes: Quebec, Montreal, Port William, Kenora, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary, Banff, Lake Louise, Vancouver, Victoria, Regina, Saskatoon, Sudbury, Toronto, Ottawa, Fredericton, Saint John, Digby and Halifax, and ends at Quebec where the party embarks for Southampton in the Empress of Britain, October 25th.

Left to right in the picture are:—T. J. Rees, Director of Education for Swansea; Captain Arthur Rothwell, Commander of the Empress of Australia; F. H.

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LIVE BAIT

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"One after another they began to collect around my rock. Black, yellow with black spots, grey ones, and a couple of mean looking red ones the colour of blood. The biggest one must have weighed nearly forty pounds. He was a sight to make anyone shiver. As big around as a hawser rope, with a mouthful of teeth that would scare even another eel."

"I watched 'em in the clear water, slipping out of the dark holes between the rocks, stoppin' real still to stare like snakes, then circling around the flat stone I was layin' on. I began to get some new ideas about eels."

"I always knew they was scavengers, eating fish out of stretch nets and stealing bait, so I'd never thought of 'em as going after a live fish, much less a live man. I was a live man, all right, but to those eels I was just another big fish caught in a net."

"I never get a whiff of a beach under ebb tide any more without feelin' those stones pinchin' my ankle and seeing those slimy eels crawl in' up to stare at me with snake eyes and open their jaws to show on my fingers. That's the part I'm coming to, only I didn't think I'd ever live to tell the story."

The old man stopped, with the dramatic instinct of a real Polynesian, and calmly took a bag of tobacco from the breast pocket of his wrinkled linen coat. We waited as he rolled a brown-paper cigarette, pinched one end of it expertly with the stump of his forefinger, and bent his head to get a light from the match someone held out. Then he blew a cloud of smoke and continued:

"Well, I began to get panicky. I didn't know what those eels would do, and I had only that old file to defend myself with if they decided to swarm up on the rock. I didn't think they'd do that, but as I moved around, but I couldn't move around much with my leg down in that crack and me kind of squatin' on the flat stone."

"By this time ten or twelve of the ugly devils had collected, and they was swimmin' around my rock gettin' bolder and bolder and more excited all the time. Most of 'em was small, two or three feet, but I knew they'd follow the big ones if they started after me. It began to look serious."

"Then I heard a sound behind me. It was probably only a rock crab, but I turned my head real quick. There was a bang and a flash of stars, and then I lost sight of eels and rocks and everything else. I'd hit my head on a sharp corner of that jagged rock and knocked myself out."

"The next thing I felt was a terrible pain in my finger and another in my hand. I opened my eyes. My right hand was stretched out on the rock, palm down,

and one of those big red eels had climbed right up and grabbed my finger between his teeth.

"He was tearing away at it while the blood spurted over the rock and dripped out of his mouth. All the time his little black eyes was looking at me just like a snake's. And around the edges of the rock I could see the heads of five or six more of 'em, just about to climb up and begin chewing."

"I let out a yell and jerked my hand back, but it cost me the tip of my finger. I saw the last of that bloody hunk of finger in the eel's white mouth as he dropped off the rock into the water. The pain nearly drove me crazy."

"It wasn't till after I tore off the sleeve of my shirt and fixed a tourniquet around my finger that I began noticing the pain in my head. Then I knew where some of the blood had come from that covered the rock. I'd cut a big gash in my head, and from the way I felt I knew I'd lost a lot of blood. All of a sudden I wanted to go to sleep. I was so weak I began to slump down on the rock again, and the minute I did that I saw I was in a real jam for sure."

"I'd no sooner got quiet when that red snout came sneaking up over the edge of the rock with another yellow one right beside it. If I passed out again, I was done for. Those eels would be right on top of me, and I knew that twelve of 'em could make short work of anything the size of a man."

"But I'd lost so much blood by that time that I could barely sit up and yell at 'em. I jerked on my foot. Those two rocks had it clamped down like a vice. I threw my weight towards the shore as far as I could, tryin' to tilt the rock that had me pinned down. It was like me tryin' to move a monument."

"With almost my last strength I yelled for help and then I sank down again on the rock just about out for good. No one came. Nothing came except those damned eels. Things was beginnin' to go dim again when I felt that same shooting up my arm."

"I forced my eyes open. There was the red eel back at my finger. The pain brought me out of it again, but I knew I couldn't hold out ten minutes longer. I just moved my hand this time and he dropped out of sight."

"I've never been in a hospital, but I know what it must feel like to come out of the ether when the doc is still sawin' on your arm. I could feel the pain in my hand, all right. Every time the blood spurted, the pain shot up my arm and made me shake all over, but my hand looked somehow like somebody else's hand. I watched it hurt."

"Then I saw that bloodthirsty devil come slippin' up again. In a kind of unconscious way I moved my hand before he reached it this

time, and he came right after it. He sort of flowed up over the edge of the rock as big as one of these boa snakes they have in Malay. And he must have been a big one, all right, or I'd never be alive right now."

"As he slid over the rock towards my finger, kind of swayin' from side to side and leavin' a trail of slime off his red skin, the idea came to me. He was heavy enough to tilt the rock and let my foot out of the crack!"

"The idea brought me around a little bit, and I held my breath as I dragged my finger real slow over to the shore side of the rock. Like a snake following a crippled rat he followed my live bait. Slow, slow, I led him along till he was past the centre of the rock. That ought to tip her. I reached as far as I could."

"Nothing happened. The rock stayed as steady as ever. The red eel wasn't far enough over to take her off balance, and I couldn't make him go far enough. He started after my finger again."

"I almost didn't notice the pain for bein' so sick with the failure of my plan. I laid still and just watched that slimy devil nosing around my hand. Then the yellow one slipped up beside him, and I held my breath. The two of 'em ought to be heavy enough to tip the rock."

"But still she didn't budge. Them eels wasn't far enough past the centre. And I couldn't move my live bait another inch. I knew if I could get even one of 'em clear over to the other edge he'd be heavy enough to tilt the rock. Here was my thirty-pound weight, if I could only throw it."

"All of a sudden I reached out with my left hand and grabbed at the eel nearest to me. He ran out of my hand just like water. All I had was a handful of slime. There was no use tryin' again. I knew I could never catch one."

"I was desperate by that time. I can tell you. If I didn't get off that rock right then I knew I never would. I had a picture of my bones, picked clean and rattlin' back and forth over the rocks in the waves. The thought just about finished me for good. Everything began to go black again."

"Then a jab of pain bigger than any before shot up my arm and I opened my eyes a little. What I saw gave me the idea that saved my life. The red eel was back again gnawin' on my finger. He'd just taken another bite, and he had his jaws stretched wide ready for more. Though I was almost through feelin' pain by that time the sight of those needle teeth closing down on my finger made my arm shake. But I knew my only chance of holdin' him was by grabbin' at that monstrous

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JAPANESE GRASP ON N. CHINA

Proposal To Enlarge Demilitarised Zone

FIRM ATTITUDE REPORTED

Tientsin, To-day.
A further step to increase Japanese influence in North China is seen by a proposal of Colonel Ohiku Shita, director of the Special Office of the Japanese troops in Shanhai-kwan, that the demilitarised zone be named the East Peiping Special Area, whose territory should be extended to embrace 22 counties instead of the present 18.

Colonel Shita proposes that Mr. Yin Yu-kang, the well-known pro-Japanese official, be appointed administrator of the enlarged area, which is to be placed under the direct control of the Executive Yuan and not the Hopei Provincial Government.

At a meeting of Japanese military commanders in Tientsin over the week-end, a decision was reached whereby this "suggestion" is to be communicated to the Executive Yuan through Mr. Y. Suma, Japanese Consul General in Nanking.

It is reported that the Japanese are taking a very firm stand in this matter—Union News.

SPLENDID GIFT TO KIANGSU

Straits Millionaire Donates Hospital

Chinkiang, To-day.
Once more indicating his enthusiasm in public welfare work, Mr. Hu-wen-hu (Aw Boon-haw), the Singapore Chinese magnate, promised on Saturday to donate funds for founding a hospital to be attached to the Kiangsu Provincial Medical College here.

The industrial magnate arrived here on Saturday morning from Nanking, where he attended the ceremony of unveiling of a bronze statue of himself, which was erected by the Central Hospital on the hospital campus, as a memento of his generous donation of \$400,000 for the founding of a medical laboratory. After his arrival, he called on Mr. Chen Kuo-fu, Chairman of the Kiangsu Provincial Government, who entertained him at a dinner party at the Provincial Government Building at noon on Saturday.

In the afternoon, Mr. Hu visited the Kiangsu Provincial Medical College and other Government institutions and the scenic spots of the provincial capital. He was greatly impressed by the progress made in administrative and reconstruction work here. Noticing the Kiangsu Provincial Medical College has no hospital in which students may gain practice and give medical aid to the populace of Chinkiang, Mr. Hu generously intimated that he would donate funds for the founding of such a hospital for the College.

He returned to Shanghai by train at 6 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.—Central News Agency.

FOOCHOW GREET'S MR. LIN SEN

Rousing Welcome By Officials

Foochow, To-day.
Mr. Lin Sen, President of the National Government, was given a rousing welcome by local government officials when he arrived here from Shanghai aboard the gunboat Haiyang at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. He was entertained in the evening by General Chen Yi, Chairman of the Fukien Provincial Government, and General Chiang Ting-wen, Pacification Commissioner for Fukien, at a dinner party at the Provincial Government Headquarters.—Central News Agency.

PULLERS WHO RUN TOO FAST!

Warning Issued To Peiping Rickshaw Coolies

Peiping rickshaw pullers are to run slower. Warnings to this effect have been issued by the Peiping Municipal Government, the Bureau of Social Welfare and the Bureau of Public Safety.

The notice also enjoins those using rickshaws not to force the pullers to run at fast speeds. It also warns pullers for their own welfare to refuse to run at fast speeds for the inducement of a little extra pay.

FLOOD RELIEF IN CANTON

Heavy Call Made On Postal Servants

FOREIGN EMPLOYEES ALSO MUST CONTRIBUTE

Canton, To-day.
Postal employees in Canton are required to give a liberal part of their salaries as contributions for flood relief, according to circular instructions received here to-day from the Ministry of Communications.

Those drawing a salary under \$54 will contribute 20 per cent. of their remuneration, payable in two instalments. Those with salaries from \$55 to \$210 are required to contribute one-half of their salaries, payable in three instalments. Officials drawing more than \$210 are required to give one-half of their salaries in two instalments. All payments are to be cleared between October and December.

As the ruling is made by the Ministry of Communications, members of the foreign staff in the post-Canton audiences, as they do not understand the language—Union News.

FORCED LABOUR IN HUPEH

Able-Bodied From 18 To 45 Conscribed

DYKE AND HIGHWAY WORK AND RE-AFFORESTATION

Hankow To-day.
Following the example of other provinces, the Hupeh Provincial Government has worked out concrete measures for the enforcement of compulsory labour, as required by the recent order of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. Compulsory labour will be enforced from next November to March, 1936. During this period of five months all able-bodied citizens in the province, from 18 to 45 years of age, are required to do their share of work. Various reconstruction projects will be carried out. In districts where there are many rivers, dyke construction and reinforcement work will first of all be undertaken, while in hsiens where there are not many rivers, special emphasis will be laid upon the construction of highways and the planting of trees.—Central News Agency.

"BURIED CHURCH" IN HAMPSHIRE

Once A Roman Temple

SUPPOSED SHRINE OF THE CULT OF MITHRAS

A service was held recently on the roof of the "buried church," which was discovered in 1928 beneath the surface of the ground at Chilton Candover, Hampshire. The church, which is built of flints and only 39ft. long, is of great antiquity, and is supposed to have been the underground temple of Roman devotees of the cult of Mithras.

FIRM ATTITUDE OF SOUTH-WEST

Reiterates Previous Demands

DECLARES KUOMINTANG PROCEDURE WRONG

Canton, To-day.
Insisting that the four proposals of the South-west circular telegram of September 16 be included in the agenda of the Fifth Kuomintang National Congress, the South-West members of the Central Committees in another telegram to Nanking on Saturday stated that the spirit of the Congress would be undermined if it considered only resolutions submitted before August 18, 1934.

Delegates to the Congress should be elected anew," the telegram contended. "In no circumstances should delegates elected two years ago be acceptable now."

"All resolutions to the Fifth Congress should be submitted three months before it opens on November 12. It is unreasonable to say that resolutions should be received before August 18, 1934, when according to Kuomintang principles all resolutions can be introduced three months, before convocation."

The telegram welcomes Nanking's suggestion of co-operation for national salvation but not co-operation in the sense of committing the surrender of national rights—Union News.

FILM SHORTAGE IN CANTON

Mandarin Speech Not Understood

Canton, To-day.
As there are no prospects of exhibiting American films in Canton owing to the refusal of the eight leading companies to pay the censorship fees demanded by the police authorities, local motion picture theatres are to submit a petition to the Cinema Censorship Board to-day asking that certain banned Chinese pictures be permitted for local exhibition.

There are not sufficient Chinese pictures to satisfy the local demand, and those with Mandarin dialogue produced in Shanghai are not suitable for Canton audiences, who do not understand the language.—Union News.

POPE RECEIVES AMBASSADOR

Newly Wedded Prince Of The Asturias Given Audience

Rome, To-day.
His Holiness the Pope received in audience the new Italian Ambassador to the Holy See, Count Pignatelli di Custozza, who until recently represented Italy at Paris and who now becomes the second Italian Ambassador to the Papal Court since the signing of the Lateran Treaty between the Vatican Quirinal, his predecessor having been Count Devecchi.

The Holy Father likewise received the newly-married Prince of the Asturias and his bride immediately after their wedding.—Trans-Ocean Service.

Chilton Candover, conducted the service. Each of the congregation held a lighted taper as they descended into the darkness for the concluding part of the service. One of them was William Spirez, aged 87, who seven years ago told the then rector that as a boy he went into the underground "church" and kicked skulls about. "My father used to say," said Mr. Spirez, "as there was a golden calf buried somewhere there, too." This led to the discovery of the church. The calf was a symbol of the Mithras worship.

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LIONEL Barrymore

with ELIZABETH ALLAN
LIONEL L. BARRYMORE
JEAN LUGO
JEAN KERSHOLT
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